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Safe-n-Sane Halloween



Skeptical sweet tooth

Big sister Renae Whittaker, 3, isn't quite sure what to make of the situation as she and Kolby Whittaker, 1, partake in the Safe-n-Sane Halloween in downtown Homedale on Friday. They are the daughters of Matt and Sharon Whittaker of Homedale. For more photos from Homedale's Halloween, see **Page 8A**

Sheriff's office gets school resource officer

Bruneau-GV,
Marsing districts
won't have to pay

A school resource officer soon will walk the halls in the Marsing and Bruneau-Grand View school districts.

Although a federal grant application for the position wasn't successful for the second year in a row, the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office has brought on Level 1 reservist Jaime Wood

as the county's SRO.

The Board of County Commissioners approved Wood for the new position during its Oct. 27 meeting. Wood joined the sheriff's office earlier this year.



Jaime Wood

"This program is kind of an

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Jordan mayor resigns for out-of-town job

Roe's departure
also leaves school
board vacancy

For the first time in 15 years, Jordan Valley is on the verge of having a new mayor.

Jake Roe, who was appointed mayor at the age of 23 when his predecessor left town for a job, has resigned the post after accepting a job in Hells Canyon with Idaho Power.

The 39-year-old has been a stalwart in the town's politics shortly after his arrival to take a job at Jim Zatica's Texaco 20 years ago. In addition to his mayoral duties, Jake has been a

school trustee for the past five years; his current term on the school board was to end in 2017.

"It's the hardest thing I've ever done in my life," Roe said of the decision to leave the small Idaho-Oregon border town.

The decision for Roe to take a position as general maintenance specialist with Idaho Power's Oxbow Dam operations in the Hells Canyon hydroelectric system was one made by the family, Roe said. He and wife Cory have been married 14 years. They have three boys: 13-year-old Brandon, Sean, 11, and Kyle, 10.

"My family is a real

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Marsing FFA places fifth in nation

Third national placing
for marketing program

Three students from Marsing High School placed fifth at the National FFA Convention in Louisville, Ky., last week.

Audra Kendall, Logan Jensen and Courtney Bryant, all seniors at MHS, won the award for their marketing presentation on a proposed Marsing Farmers Market.

The three students traveled to Louisville for the week-long convention Oct. 27 through Friday.

"They were awesome," FFA advisor Mike Martin said. "Especially since we were the second smallest school competing in the Marketing Career Development Event," he said.

Martin said the biggest highlight of the trip for him was "seeing Audra smiling from

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Avalanche delivery to be delayed next week

Because Post Offices are closed on Veterans Day, some subscribers of The Owyhee Avalanche may not receive their Nov. 12 newspaper until Thursday, Nov. 13.

Newspapers will be available on Nov. 12 in Homedale at The Owyhee Avalanche office, Paul's Market, Jacksons, Homedale Drug and Matteson's, and in Marsing at Gem Stop and Logan's Market.



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Owyhee schools plan Veterans Day salutes next week

Military veterans from all branches of the service are encouraged to participate in several Veterans Day programs at area schools next week.

Homedale

The elementary school's program begins at 9 a.m. Tuesday. Veterans interested in attending should contact music teacher Eileen Walker at (208) 337-4033. Boy Scout Troop 409 will carry the colors, and students will sing several songs. Veterans will be allowed to introduce themselves and speak to the children and parents.

The middle school's assembly is scheduled for 10 a.m. Tuesday and is being produced by fifth-grade music teacher Mary Sonke and Homedale High School music director Sam Stone.

Area veterans and other community members are invited.

The high school assembly, produced by Bailey Adams as her Senior Project, starts at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday.

The program will include speakers, a slide show and the debut of a song written by Adams.

A luncheon will be served to all vets following the assembly. Veterans are asked to arrive at the high school by 11 a.m.

Contact the high school at (208) 337-4613 for more information.

Marsing

The school district's annual Veterans Day program starts at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the cafeteria and is coordinated by music director Dawn Sandmeyer. Veterans, parents and community members are invited.

The middle school choir will sing "Flag of Freedom," and

"Free Like Me."

Third-, fourth- and fifth-graders will perform, and there may be a veteran scheduled to speak. Plans have not been finalized, Sandmeyer said.

Third-graders will perform "I Like it Here," and "Our Heroes Will Live On."

Fourth-graders will sing "When Johnny Comes Marching Home," and a combined "Grand Old Flag," and "50 Stars."

Fifth-graders will perform "The Salute to the Armed Forces."

Military branch hymns will be played as veterans are recognized.

The combined music students from third through fifth grades will sing "The Star Spangled Banner," and "God Bless America."

Third-grader Elliot Little will play the fiddle during "The Star

Spangled Banner." He's the son of Marsing High School principal Tim Little and sixth-grade teacher Deidra Little.

Another highlight of the program will be Sandmeyer playing "Taps" on trumpet.

For more information, contact Sandmeyer at the high school by calling (208) 896-4112.

Adrian

A community event to salute veterans will be held at the high school gymnasium at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday. The public is invited.

Veterans will be recognized, and schoolchildren will perform patriotic music.

A video titled, "We Will Not Forget," will be played before attending veterans are introduced.

Veterans will have the opportunity to talk about their military experiences.

Kindergarteners through fifth-

graders will sing "We Honor those Who Served."

Middle school and high school choir students will sing "The Star Spangled Banner," "We Will Not Forget," and "Salute to the Armed Forces."

The school band comprised of seventh- through 12th-graders will perform the National Anthem.

After the history of Veterans Day is presented, the school band will pay the hymn of each branch of the armed services.

For more information, call high school social studies teacher Aaron Mills at (541) 910-6476.

Bruneau-Grand View

A band concert to honor honoring veterans will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Rimrock Jr.-Sr. High at 7 p.m. For more information, call (208) 834-2253.

— KB

Nampa men walk away from Murphy plane crash

No one was injured when a home-built airplane lost power and crashed just off the Murphy airstrip.

Owyhee County Sheriff's Chief Deputy Lynn Bowman said the pilot, 57-year-old Steven John Henry, and passenger, 51-year-old Paul Brent Johnson, had flown into town sometime before 2:30 p.m. on Oct. 28 to have lunch at the Murphy General Store only to discover that the store is closed on Tuesdays.

After takeoff, the plane carrying the two Nampa men lost power about 100 feet above the ground, Bowman said.

Henry tried to land the plane on Rim Rock Lane, immediately south of the airstrip, but the plane hopped on touchdown and flipped onto its roof when the propeller and landing gear became ensnared in a barbed-wire fence, Bowman said.

— JPB



An Owyhee County Sheriff's deputy assesses the scene with a bystander after an Oct. 28 plane crash on the southern end of the Murphy airstrip. Both men in the home-built plane were uninjured.

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High school senior plans Veterans Day program

Bailey Adams will produce HHS event and debut an original song

Bailey Adams has some big ideas for her senior project, and now that she is almost ready to complete it, something surprising has happened that changes everything.

The 17-year-old Homedale High School senior has written the lyrics to a song that could possibly be used as the theme song for a new television series.

“Well, here’s your once-in-a-lifetime opportunity,” her dad, Jim Adams, told her after reading the lyrics. And her mother, Jodi Adams, started to cry and told her how proud she is.

“This has all come together very quickly,” Bailey said, smiling.

Call it chance, call it luck, or call it coincidence, a recent series of events brought her in contact with a piano player/producer who wants to use her lyrics to highlight a new TV series about military veterans.

But that is not the foremost thing on her mind right now.

Last fall, Bailey told HHS principal Dion Flaming she was “disappointed” that the school did not have a Veterans Day program. Since then, she has been working on ideas for putting together a program for her senior project.

She is very serious about the project. “It’s all I think about and talk about,” she said.

“I can remember my family has been honored on Veterans Day since I was three years old.”

As part of her project, a month ago she and another senior, Cole Hungate planned a 9/11 week at the school, including encouraging all the students to fly big American flags on their trucks. Hungate plans to be a Navy SEAL.

Bailey’s dad, Jim, and his

brother, Joe, both served in the Navy. Her family has a history of military service. She has plans to attend the University of Idaho after graduation and become a Navy officer, then wants to serve in combat and work on explosive ordnance disposal. Bailey has dreamed of being in the Navy since she was a little girl.

For her project, she has interviewed veterans, of all ages, as well as relatives to “gain perspective” on their experiences. She interviewed Ray Mansisidor, 90, who told her about his experience training pilots on B25s and B17s in World War II. She also has a veteran mentor, Deke Marmon, 25, an Army veteran she contacted through the Elks Lodge in Caldwell.

Her Veterans Day program will take place on Tuesday at 11:25 a.m. in the HHS gymnasium. The program will begin with the Pledge of Allegiance, then the National Anthem, followed by introductions of the attending veterans by either Mr. Flaming or Bailey. The songs for each branch of the military will be played while veterans are introduced. She does not know how many veterans will be attending.

Following the introductions, her father will talk to the student body about the history of Veterans Day.

After that, Bailey will read a poem written by a veteran friend of hers.

The Veterans Day Assembly will include two guest speakers—senior Kamryn Weatherly, who recently enlisted in the Army, and Marmon, who served in the Army and spent three years in Afghanistan.

After the guest speakers the audience will listen to the debut



Senior Bailey Adams stands by a bulletin board she created for the 9/11 week at Homedale High School.

of Bailey’s song that she has written titled, “I Thought I’d Never Be Here.”

It will be the first time the song is played for anyone other than her parents, so it will be a big moment for Bailey. She wrote the song toward the end of September.

“I am super-scared and super-excited,” she said. In the audience will be her parents, her relatives, friends, teachers and other community members.

A professional singer, Adam Gottesman, will perform the lyrics.

“It’s a song that will touch your heart, even if you don’t know anyone in the military,” Bailey said. She is keeping all the words “secret” and not sharing them with anyone, until the song is played.

While the song is being played, Bailey plans to have a slideshow which will include portraits of military family members that are friends of her family. She plans

to incorporate quotes with the photos. The military personnel in the photos will not be of local families.

The assembly will end after Bailey’s song is played. The veterans will be treated to a lunch at the school cafeteria and will then visit her government class for an informal discussion.

“I feel kind of prepared for it, but I will be nervous getting up and talking in front of everyone,” she said.

A few weeks ago, Bailey was introduced to TV producer/pianist Randy Coryell, who was playing piano at the Grove Hotel in Boise. He was telling Jim about the new TV show he is producing. It is a story about 13 veterans who are childhood friends that grow up together and serve in the military then come home.

Coryell told Bailey’s dad that he had some music by a composer named Gary Amato for the show, but couldn’t write the lyrics.

“Oh, that’s easy,” Bailey told

him. “I write all the time.”

After that, Bailey went with her family to a football game and she sat there and wrote the lyrics.

“I just kept writing and it all came together,” she said.

When Bailey took the lyrics back to Coryell, she said, “he just looked at me completely shocked. He couldn’t believe a teenage girl could write that.”

Bailey has been writing poetry since she was a seventh-grader. She can see herself as a songwriter someday, but first she wants to be in the military and serve her country.

Bailey’s song was recorded at American Audio recording studio in Caldwell on Oct. 27.

Plans to use her song for the TV series have not yet been finalized, and Bailey said she “has no idea” if she will be paid any money. The name of the TV series will be “Four Stars Among the Military,” and the show may come out after the first of the year.

— KB

Tuesday closures

- Government offices in Murphy, Grand View, Homedale and Marsing, including DMV
- University of Idaho Owyhee County Extension Office
- Post offices
- US Bank branches
- Jordan Valley School District (Monday and Tuesday)
- Homedale Public Library
- **Not affected by holiday**
- Law enforcement, fire and emergency medical services
- Schools in the Homedale, Marsing, Bruneau-Grand View, Adrian and Pleasant Valley districts. Adrian and Pleasant Valley are closed Monday.
- Owyhee County Historical Museum
- Lizard Butte Library
- Bruneau Valley Library
- Eastern Owyhee County Library in Grand View
- Paul’s Market in Homedale and Logan’s Market in Marsing
- Senior centers
- The Owyhee Avalanche

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Homedale High School's marching band performs during Saturday's District III competition at Bronco Stadium on the Boise State University campus. Photo by Rob Aman

Homedale marching band takes first at District III

String of runner-up showings in specialties puts Marsing sixth

The Homedale High School band placed first in the 1A division at the District III Marching Band Competition on Saturday at Bronco Stadium.

The Marsing High School band placed sixth overall, with some second place finishes, too.

The Homedale band was

awarded first for best overall effect, and first in color guard, music effect and percussion.

"I was confident they would do well," music director Sam Stone said. "The kids were excited. They like hardware."

Stone said the band has been improving quickly with each

performance.

"With the progress they've made, we are building a good foundation for where we want to be," Stone said.

"Now that they understand what they can do as musicians, and how to work as an ensemble, we can go forward and expand," he said.

Second place went to Emmett, third to Cole Valley Christian, fourth to Cambridge and fifth

was Bishop Kelly.

"I'm proud of my kids," Marsing music director Dawn Sandmeyer said. "We were up against some bigger schools this time and we still took second in percussion, second in ensemble and second in music effect."

"I told my kids after the performance that I was proud of them and it was their best performance of the year and it doesn't matter what place they took."

Prior to the Boise competition, both bands competed at the Treasure Valley Festival of Bands at Vallivue High School in Caldwell.

The Homedale color guard won the auxiliary championship to help the band place second overall in Caldwell.

Marsing band placed fourth overall.

—KB



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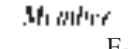


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Homedale to discuss irrigation rate hike

No decision can be made at tonight's workshop

Homedale city council members will discuss a possible increase in irrigation bills at a workshop tonight.

Changes to the city's personnel handbook also will be discussed during the workshop, which begins at 6 p.m. at City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming Ave.

The Fiscal Year 2015 budget the council passed earlier this year included a 15 percent increase in the maintenance fee charged to city residents on the irrigation system. The increase wouldn't go into effect unless the council went through the public process of raising rates.

The workshop isn't part of that process, and the council can't make a decision tonight. If the council decides to move forward with the increase, a public hearing to get customers' input will be scheduled, City Clerk and Treasurer Alice Pegram said.

Although tonight's proceedings are open to the public, the council is not obligated to take public comment because the meeting has been classified as a workshop.

A 15 percent rate increase on the maintenance fee would amount to a rate hike of about \$1 per month, Pegram said.

Gem Irrigation District's 2015 assessment will be \$56.98 per acre, an increase of 0.64 percent over the 2014 assessment, Pegram said. Most city irrigation users pay less than \$56.98 because city lots are generally smaller than an acre.

Also at tonight's workshop, the council will discuss proposed changes to the city's personnel handbook.

A vote cannot be taken, but council members will consider whether to change the handbook to combine vacation time and sick leave into one "personal time off" category.

Pegram said the idea to generalize how time off from work is handled would combine vacation and sick leave hours into general purpose hours to be used as employees need.

The city council holds its only regular meeting of the month at 6 p.m. next Wednesday. Last month, council members cancelled the second meetings in November and December because of the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays.

—JPB

From page 1A

✓ Mayor: Community bids farewell to civic-minded family

recreation-based family," Roe said. "We love to fish and love to hunt and play outside. That Hells Canyon country, we've been going up there to play for a long time."

The Jordan Valley community said goodbye to the Roe family with a dinner on Oct. 27. His resignation from the school board was effective Friday.

"The Roe family will be missed a great deal. They have given so much of themselves to Jordan Valley and our kids," schools superintendent Jennifer Johnson said. "Jake was a great board member, with a level head and a great heart for kids; Cory helped put our JV Booster Club together, coached our track teams and was a constant positive presence in our schools."

"We will miss them, but we wish them well in their new adventure."

Along with Sheila Quintero, Tracy Skinner and Trish Warn, Cory was a founding member of the Jordan Valley Booster Club, which raises money for school activities.

"My wife and I fit in very well, and we enjoyed being involved in the community and showing our love for the community," Jake Roe said.

Friday was Roe's final day of

work at Kinross DeLamar Mine, where he was supposed to work for only four years and wound up staying twice that long.

He woke up at 4 a.m., drove to work and did what he had been doing for the better part of the past two decades – he did for others.

"I got up at 4 o'clock this morning, headed up and cooked ribs for the crew," Roe said. "I made two batches of ice cream last night and two peach cobbles up there today."

"I've always been used to serving others and doing the best I can in my community."

Roe began his career of service in Jordan Valley in 1999 as a city council member. Shortly thereafter, he became council president, even though he was the youngest person on the board.

When Norm Pruitt resigned to take a job out of town, Roe was appointed mayor. He was elected mayor in 2000 and won re-election three more times.

Now, as was the case 15 years ago, the Jordan Valley City Council is in a position to appoint a chief executive.

Marie Kershner is council president and mayor *pro tem*, and it's Roe's hunch that she will assume the mayoral duties permanently, but he said he has purposely stayed out of



Former Jordan Valley mayor and school board trustee Jake Roe stands with his wife Cory and their three sons, from left, Sean, Kyle and Brandon. Submitted photo

discussions. Roe's successor would serve until the 2016 election.

The council holds its monthly regular meeting Tuesday.

The school board is taking applications from anyone interested in filling Roe's trustee position.

—JPB



Marsing FFA students, from left, Courtney Bryant, Audra Kendall and Logan Jensen prepare to compete in the marketing semifinals at the National FFA Convention. Submitted photo

✓ FFA: Marsing gets third national placing since 2010

ear-to-ear and skipping when she learned they made the semifinals and then watching all three of the team members hugging each other."

FFA has a wide-open format where all the schools compete

(regardless of size) in one division, Martin said.

MHS marketing teams placed fifth nationally in 2012, and fourth in 2010.

—KB

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Nov. 6: Cheese pizza ripper, tossed salad, veggie & fruit bar, fruit rollup
Nov. 10: Hot dog, tater tots, veggie & fruit bar
Nov. 11: Spaghetti, green beans, veggie & fruit bar
Nov. 12: Chicken taco, corn, veggie & fruit bar

Homedale Middle

Nov. 5: Spaghetti or burrito, salad & fruit bar
Nov. 6: Pizza hot pocket or corn dog, salad & fruit bar
Nov. 10: Popcorn chicken or beef nuggets, cheese stick, salad & fruit bar
Nov. 11: Sloppy Joe or hot dog, corn, salad & fruit bar
Nov. 12: Pork chop or chicken tenders, mashed potatoes/gravy, salad & fruit bar

Homedale High

Nov. 5: Crispito or hot pocket, salad bar, fruit choice
Nov. 6: Cheeseburger, hamburger or chicken patty, potato chips, salad bar, fruit choice, sherbet cup
Nov. 10: Personal pan pepperoni pizza or roast beef sandwich, salad bar, fruit choice
Nov. 11: Orange or popcorn chicken, egg roll, steamed rice, salad bar, fruit choice
Nov. 12: Spaghetti & bread stick or corn dog, salad bar, fruit choice

Marsing

Nov. 5: Orange chicken/rice or ham/cheese & chips, steamed carrots, salad bar & soup
Nov. 6: Spaghetti w/breadstick or meatloaf w/mashed potatoes, roll, green beans, salad bar & soup
Nov. 10: Pepperoni ripper or baked potato & roll, tossed salad, salad bar & soup
Nov. 11: Chicken nuggets & roll or fish sandwich, mixed vegetables, salad bar & soup
Nov. 12: Spicy chicken, rice, roll or burrito, steamed carrots, salad bar & soup

Bruneau-Grand View

Nov. 5: Chicken patty, tossed salad, steamed broccoli, fruit
Nov. 6: Nachos, chips, salsa, refried beans, fruit
Nov. 7: Sloppy Joe/bun, fries, celery sticks, apple slices
Nov. 11: Chicken wrap, steamed broccoli, roll, fruit
Nov. 12: Spaghetti w/meat sauce, tossed salad, peas, breadstick, fruit

Senior menus

Homedale Senior Center

Milk served every day

Nov. 5: Sausage & biscuits, mashed potatoes/gravy, broccoli
Nov. 6: Baked fish, potatoes, peas & carrots, bread
Nov. 11: BBQ pork, baked potato, California blend veggies, bread
Nov. 12: Beef stew, roll

Rimrock Senior Center


Milk served every day

Nov. 6: Roast pork, scalloped potatoes, steamed veggies, applesauce, roll, cake
Nov. 11: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes/gravy, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, roll

Marsing Senior Center

Nov. 5: Roast pork, potatoes, green beans, corn, bread
Nov. 6: Beef, carrots, potatoes, applesauce, rice salad, bread
Nov.10: Eggs, bacon or sausage, juice, fruit, pancakes
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Nov. 12: Beef pot pie, coleslaw, biscuits

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Obituary

Clyde Edwin Sevy



Clyde Edwin Sevy was born September 26, 1947, to Noah and Sybil Sevy in Marsing, Idaho. He passed on from natural causes with his loving family by his side on October 25, 2014.

In his early life, Clyde attended school in Marsing, Idaho.

Clyde grew up on a dairy farm where he learned early on the value of hard work and responsibility. He was drafted into the Army in 1967 and, after serving a year in Viet Nam, was honorably discharged in 1969. During the time he was in the Armed Forces, he received a Purple Heart and a Bronze Star. Forty years after his return (2010), he was awarded the Medal of Valor. This prestigious medal was awarded to Clyde for carrying two men to safety under constant fire from the enemy.

Clyde was a lifelong member of the Followers of Christ Church.

Clyde married Jacki Edwards on January 2, 1970. They resided on a farm south of Marsing, Idaho, where they grew crops and raised their five children.

Clyde was a meticulous farmer. He worked on his family farm, and for the Sevy Dairy his entire life. His family was proud of him for winning first place, three times over, for his abundant corn crops in the National Corn Growers’ Association. His farming efforts earned him several awards and a few trips.

In his teen years, Clyde’s interest in music peaked. He ordered his first guitar and began teaching himself to play. Clyde used his gift of music often in praise to God, and his guitar playing and singing brought comfort to friends and family when they were ill, or when lying loved ones to rest. His music also brought tremendous joy to many at celebrations and simple jam sessions with friends.

Clyde loved and cherished his wife, children, and his grandchildren. He was attentive to his parents’ needs while they lived; he also watched over his siblings and his nieces and nephews. He cared deeply for all his family from his parents to his

brothers and sisters to his nieces and nephews.

Clyde is survived by his wife, Jacki; daughters: Lori (Rod) Brooks, Amy (Les) Loucks, Kerri (Benji) Young, Holly (Tiger) Milburn; and son C.J. or Clyde Jr (Alisha) Sevy; brothers Lyle (Karen), Howard (Ronna), Kenny (Sarah) Sevy; sisters: Linda Perry, Marquita (Sammy) Shippy, Susan (Phillip) Jerome, Cynthia (Curtis) Benton, Sylvia (Keith) Harness, Leticia (David) Hayes, and Tami (Kirk) Henman; grandchildren: Jordan (Bryson), Colt (Twyla), Chloe, Bonnie, Zane, Zeke, Max, Kyla, Les Jr, Colby, Rylee, Kimmee, Madison, Porter, Heath, Sam, and Taylee; great-grandchild Elsie.

Clyde was preceded in death by his parents, Noah and Sybil Sevy; his brothers Jimmy, Donald, Ralph, Roger, and Stanley Sevy; his sisters, Joyce Jerome and Joan Shippy.

A viewing was held Wednesday evening from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at Dakan Funeral Home, Caldwell, Idaho. Funeral services were Thursday October 30, 2014 at 11:00 a.m. at Valley Church, 2900 Life Way, Caldwell, Idaho. Burial with military honors directly followed the funeral service at Peaceful Valley Cemetery, Caldwell, Idaho. The family welcomes everyone to join them for a dinner at the Valley Church after the burial service.

Birth

Aiden Robert Grant

Perry and Halie Grant of Homedale have announced the birth of their son.

Aiden Robert Grant was born at 9:08 a.m., Monday, Oct. 13, 2014 at St. Luke’s Medical Center in Meridian.

He weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Aiden joins siblings Alexandria, Slade, and Cameron Grant.

Grandparents are Daryl and Coleen Reed of Harpster and Bob and Debby Grant of Homedale.

Great-grandparents are Zoe Reed of Emmett, Bill and Ellen Farley of Hayden, and Zelda Grant of Brockton, Mass.

Lions bingo back in Marsing this Saturday

The second Marsing Lions Club bingo night of the season takes place Saturday.

The early bird game starts at 6:45 p.m., followed by regular play at 7 p.m.

The bingo takes place at the Phipps-Watson Marsing American Legion Community Center, 126 W. 2nd St. N.

Game prices are \$15 for a set of 12 games and \$5 for each additional set. The early bird game costs \$5.

Free popcorn will be offered, and additional refreshments will be available for purchase.

Lions Club bingo coordinator Herb Churruca said October’s bingo night was a big success with nearly 60 people showing up to play and socialize.

The Lions have cancelled the December bingo night and will pick up the action on the second Saturday of January, Churruca said.

Proceeds from each bingo night benefit community needs.

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Death notice

SHIRLEY D. OSBORN, 78, of Homedale, died Monday, Oct. 27, 2014. A viewing and funeral services were held on Saturday, Nov. 1, 2014 at Flahiff Funeral Chapel, Caldwell. Interment took place at Wilder Cemetery.

Grand View bazaar seeks vendors

Organizers are looking for vendors for the Christmas in the Country bazaar next month in Grand View.

Vending prices include a 6-foot table for \$20 or a 10-foot wall space with a 6-foot table for \$30.

The bazaar will be held from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 6 inside the Grand View Elementary School gymnasium. Vendors will be able to set up beginning at 8 a.m.

For more information, call Shawna Ridley at (208) 834-2953 or Cyndi Fullmer at (208) 834-2636.

Warm up with easy home cooking

Harvest season is winding down and so is the temperature outside. This is the perfect time to pull out the slow-cooker and find some hearty meals to feed your family. The most important things to consider with slow-cooker meals are safety, but here are also a few other facts:



Surine Greenway

What is a slow cooker? — A countertop electrical appliance that cooks foods slowly at a low temperature —generally between 170° and 280° F. The low heat helps less-expensive, leaner cuts of meat become tender and shrink less.

Getting started — Keep perishable foods refrigerated until preparation time. If you prep meat and vegetables in advance, store them separately in the refrigerator. The slow cooker may take several hours to reach a safe, bacteria-killing temperature. Constant refrigeration assures that bacteria, which multiply rapidly at room temperature, won't get a "head start" during the first few hours of cooking.

Thaw ingredients — Always thaw meat or poultry before putting it into a slow cooker. Choose to make foods with a high moisture content such as chili, soup, stew or

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spaghetti sauce. Prepare commercially frozen slow cooker meals to manufacturer's instructions.

Use the right amount of food — Vegetables cook slower than meat and poultry, so put veggies in first.

Large cuts of meat and poultry may be cooked safely in a slow cooker, however because slow cookers are available in several sizes, read the instruction booklet for suggested sizes of meat and poultry to cook.

Add the meat and desired amount of liquid suggested in the recipe, such as broth, water or barbecue sauce. Keep the lid in place, removing only to stir the food or check for doneness.

Settings — Most cookers have two or more settings. Foods take different times to cook depending upon the setting used. Certainly, foods will cook faster on high than on low. However, for all-day cooking or for less-tender cuts, you may want to use the low setting.

If possible, turn the cooker on the highest setting for the first hour of cooking and then to low or the setting called for in your recipe. However, it's safe to cook foods on low the entire time — if you're leaving for work, for example, and preparation time is limited. While food is cooking and once it's done, food will stay safe as long as the cooker is operating.

Power out — If you are not at home during the entire slow-cooking process and the power goes out, throw away the food even if it looks done.

If you are home, finish cooking the ingredients immediately by some other means: on a gas stove, on the outdoor grill or at a house where the power is on.

Handling leftovers — Store leftovers in shallow covered containers and refrigerate within two hours after cooking is finished. Reheating leftovers in a slow cooker is not recommended. Cooked food should be reheated on the stove, in a microwave, or in a conventional oven until it reaches 165° F. Then the hot food can be placed in a preheated slow cooker to keep it hot for serving — at least 140° F as measured with a food thermometer.

— Source: *Slow Cookers and Food Safety*, USDA, http://www.fsis.usda.gov/wps/portal/food-safety-topics/food-safety-education/get-answers/food-safety-fact-sheets/appliances-and-thermometers/slow-cookers-and-food-safety/ct_index. Surine Greenway is the University of Idaho Owyhee County Extension Family and Consumer Sciences educator. For more information, you can reach the U of I Owyhee County Extension Office at (208) 896-4104 or owyhee@uidaho.edu. The office is located at 238 W. 8th Ave. W., in Marsing.

Slow-Cooker Rosemary Beef with Vegetables

Ingredients


- ½-lb. carrots, cut into chunks
- Roughly 1 lb. of medium red potatoes, cut into fourths
- ½-lb. chopped celery
- 3 Tbsp Dijon mustard
- 2 Tbsp chopped fresh (or 1½ tsp. dried rosemary leaves, crumbled)
- 1 tsp salt
- ½ tsp pepper
- 1 boneless beef chuck roast (3 lb.), excess fat trimmed off
- 1 small onion, finely chopped
- 1¾ cups beef, chicken or vegetable broth

Directions

- Spray 3½- to 6-quart slow cooker with light cooking spray. Place carrots, potatoes and celery inside.
- Mix mustard, rosemary, salt, and pepper; spread evenly over beef. Place beef on potatoes and carrots; sprinkle with onion. Pour broth evenly over beef and vegetables. Cover; cook on low heat setting 8 – 10 hours or until beef and vegetables are tender.
- Use a slotted spoon to remove beef and vegetables from slow cooker; place on serving platter. Skim fat from beef juices if desired; serve juices with beef and vegetables.
- Adapted from Betty Crocker *Slow Cooker Recipes* "Slow-Cooker Beef and Potatoes with Rosemary."

Owyhee Then & Now

Michael F. Hanley



Sagebrush and Axle Grease

Stagecoaches, Pt. I

To show how fast stage lines developed in the West during the mid-1860s, the Owyhee region is used here as an example.

A legend of immigrants to Oregon about the "Blue Bucket Diggings" somewhere in the vicinity of the Owyhee Mountains, where they used sinkers of gold for fishing, led several adventurous gold-seekers to organize an expedition to Placerville in May 1863. On May 18, 1863, they discovered gold on a creek which they named for the leader of the party, Michael Jordan.

With the discovery of gold, the problem of supplying the new mines became serious. Goods were scarce and gold rush prices resulted. The only road to the outside was the Old Oregon Trail over the Blue Mountains, which was impassable during the winter months.

Because of the prevailing situation, Idahoans, feeling the high cost of transportation and isolation, were the organizers of a new route to California. Four men became the organizers of stage lines to Northern California in the winter of 1864-65. They were: J. B. Francis of Boise, who had made an exploration from Idaho to California in 1864 with establishing a route in mind; E.D. Pierce, leader of the party that had discovered gold on the Clearwater; G.C. Robbins, superintendent of the New York and Owyhee Gold and Silver Mining Company; and Hill Beachy, a former Californian who had recently been owner of the Luna House in Lewiston. Beachy was also instrumental in the vigilante movement that cleansed the Pacific Northwest mining camps of the criminal element.

The first three favored a route to either Red Bluff or Chico in the Sacramento Valley and so formed the Idaho Stage Company. Francis and Pierce then went to California to organize the line. At first, saddle trains were organized by the Idaho Stage Company. On March 20, 1865 the first train left Chico and arrived in Ruby City 27 days later. Pierce recorded that the second and third trains made the journey "much sooner."

In early July, stages were put in operation over the Chico-Susanville portion of the route and plans were announced to extend stages over the entire route.

— Local historian, author and rancher Mike Hanley lives in Jordan Valley. Excerpts in this column come from his various books, which are on sale at The Owyhee Avalanche office in Homedale. Visit www.owyheeavalanche.com for a list of available titles, including Hanley's *Owyhee Graffiti*, *Sagebrush & Axle Grease* (with Omer Stanford), *Tales of the I.O.N. Country* and *Journal of Michael F. Hanley IV*.

Calendar

Today

- Military veterans coffee**
9 a.m., Phipps-Watson American Legion Hall and Community Center, 126 W. 2nd St. N., Marsing
- Story time**
10:30 a.m., Lizard Butte Library, 111 S. 3rd Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 896-4690
- Christian Life Club**
4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., Homedale Elementary School cafeteria, 420 W. Washington Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4757, (208) 353-6024 or (208) 337-3464

Thursday

- Senior center exercise class**
10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Lizard Butte Library board meeting**
4 p.m., Lizard Butte Library, 111 S. 3rd

- Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 896-4690
- TOPS open house**
6:30 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-3867
- Homedale Rod & Gun Club meeting**
7:30 p.m., Owyhee Lanes and Restaurant, 18 N. 1st W., Homedale. (208) 921-6578 or (208) 283-0431 or homedalegunclub.com

Friday

- Story Time**
10:15 a.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228, afternoons Monday through Saturday
- Teens and Tweens program**
4 p.m. to 5 p.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228

Saturday

- Holiday cookie tasting**
10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2313 or (208) 968-5430
- Senior center dance**
6 p.m. to 9 p.m., \$4, Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4020
- Marsing Lions bingo**
6:45 p.m., early bird game, 7 p.m. regular game, \$15 for one set, \$5 for each additional set, \$5 early bird game, Phipps-Watson Marsing American Legion Community Center, 126 W. 2nd St. N., Marsing

Sunday, Nov. 9

- Bruneau Valley Library meeting**
2:30 p.m., Bruneau Valley Library, 32073 Ruth St., Bruneau. (208) 845-2131

- Homedale library board meeting**
5:30 p.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228
- Young Life meeting**
6 p.m., open to high school-aged youth, transportation available with notice, 15777 Quartz Lane, Homedale. (208) 764-1048 or (817) 229-6850

Monday, Nov. 10

- County Commissioners meeting**
9 a.m., Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy. (208) 495-2421
- Homedale Fire District board meeting**
Noon, Owyhee Lanes and Restaurant, 18 N. 1st St. W., Homedale.
- Owyhee County Democrats meeting**
1 p.m., The Spot, 12 Sandbar Ave., Marsing. (208) 250-2458

HOMEDALE'S HALLOWEEN

City Hall best costume winners



Left: Logan Romans, 10, won the best boys' award for his "Headless Soldier" costume. He is the son of Kandis and Todd Romans of Homedale. **Right:** The "Scarecrow" outfit of 16-month-old Keyleigh Hotchkiss was voted best girls' costume by the City Hall staff. Keyleigh is the daughter of Kaleb and Kimi Hotchkiss of Homedale. Both winners will receive gift baskets and their photos will hang in City Hall for the next year. Photos submitted by Homedale City Hall staff



Kambell Garrett trick-or-treated as a clown.



Jordan Nelson, 11, said she was a gypsy.



Homedale Elementary physical education teacher Dan Moore, left, wore an Elvis costume, played guitar and sang as he walked down the halls in Thursday's HES Halloween parade. Fourth-grade students from center are, Trenton Fisher; Olivia Miller; Elizabeth Egusquiza and Jaxson Dines.



Nakita Koepnick, 7, left, acts out her role as the Bridge of Frankenstein as her brother Damian Koepnick, 7, center, and "skeleton" Trenton Rooks look on.



Cassie Dickinson, 14, gave out candy in front of the Frosty Palace.

Homedale Chamber sets holiday parade theme

Organizers hope for fun with National Lampoon idea

Organizers are hoping for a little nostalgic comic relief with the inaugural Homedale for the Holidays Night Light Parade.

The Chamber of Commerce is looking for all kinds of entries for the Saturday, Nov. 29 parade, but Chamber president Gavin Parker says, those floats should have a common theme:

“National Lampoon’s Christmas Vacation,” the 1989 movie starring Chevy Chase, Beverly D’Angelo and Randy Quaid.

Parker outlined his hope that several organizations and businesses—both from Homedale and throughout Owyhee County—turn out for the parade, which will begin at 6 p.m. and precede the city tree lighting at Bette Uda City Park.

“There’s a little Cousin Eddie in all of us,” Parker said, setting up the catchphrase for this year’s parade during the Oct. 24 Chamber luncheon at the Owyhee Lanes and Restaurant.

Switching to a nighttime parade requires a crew of volunteers to man the intersections, Parker said.

“The city is very involved here,” Parker said. “This is a partnership with the city, so we need Chamber members to volunteer.”

Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller said there are about 20 intersections that will be affected by the parade, which will take its traditional route west on Owyhee Avenue, south on North 3rd Street

West and east on Idaho Avenue.

The chief suggested about 24 volunteers would be needed to cover the intersections.

Because this will be a nighttime parade, no candy-throwing will be allowed along the parade route.

The Chamber also will put on another canned food and toy drive. Parade-goers are asked to bring non-perishable food items and new unwrapped toys to City Park for the tree lighting.

Mayor Gheen Christoffersen said the city will invite local church and school choirs to sing

prior to the tree lighting.

There will be a Santa Bucks drawing at the tree lighting. Local business owners can donate a minimum of \$20 and have the choice of the Santa Bucks gift certificates being redeemable only at their stores or at any participating business in Homedale.

For more information on the parade and Santa Bucks, call Parker at (208) 337-3271.

Questions on the tree lighting and choir recruitment should be directed to City Hall at (208) 337-4641.

— JPB



No sibling rivalry here

Brother and sister Anthony and Rebecca George both filled their deer tags last month while hunting in Unit 32A in the Mill Creek area. **Above:** An eighth-grader at Marsing Middle School, Rebecca harvested a deer in her first year of hunting. She got her animal on Oct. 15. **Below:** Anthony, a Parma High School sophomore, wasted little time in getting his third deer; shooting his animal on opening day (Oct. 10). The siblings’ parents are Andrew and Aletta Arnold of Marsing and Jared George of Parma. Submitted photos

The Owyhee Avalanche would like to publish photos of youth hunters’ animals or impressive animals taken by seasoned hunters. Email photos with information on the hunter; their age, their parents’ names, where they’re from, the animal and where and when it was harvested to jon@owyheeavalanche.com. Include a phone number in case follow-up questions are necessary. Call (208) 337-4681, ext. 102 for more information.



Sam Woods, right, discusses her senior project with Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller and Homedale Senior Center coordinator Shirley McAbee.

Home-cooked Senior Project

HHS student’s trees event helps Meals on Wheels

There’s a Senior Project advisor and a mentor to help her out, but Sam Woods has all the motivation necessary right under her own roof.

The Homedale High School senior is organizing a Festival of Trees to help the local Meals on Wheels program and satisfy a graduation requirement.

Janee Brumfield serves as the school’s Senior Project advisor, and Sam chose Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller as her mentor.

“I chose Chief Eidemiller because he and my parents are friends and they’ve known each other for a long time,” Sam said.

But the 17-year-old really needn’t look any further than her living room to find the drive to get the Homedale Senior Center fundraiser off the ground.

Sam’s mom, school board trustee Stacy Woods, has been involved in the Canyon County Festival of Trees for years. Sam’s dad is Kenny, and the family also decorates their home extensively for Christmas.

“I’ve helped out with the (Canyon County event), and I

was inspired by what they did, and I heard the senior center was in need of funding,” Sam said.

And the idea for Homedale’s own Festival of Trees was born.

Sam is looking for businesses, organizations and community members willing to create Christmas trees, wreaths and other holiday items to donate to the cause. Call her at 250-7580 for more information. During school hours, folks can call her mom at 250-0855.

The Festival of Trees will be held at the senior center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., on Wednesday, Nov. 26, and Friday and Saturday, Nov. 28-29. The center is closed on Thursday, Nov. 27 for Thanksgiving.

The public is encouraged to view the trees and vote for the best entry from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Nov. 26 and Nov. 28. The senior center will be open at 10 a.m. on Nov. 29 for the festival. Best tree winners will be announced at 3 p.m. when the themed trees are sold at live auction.

The final day of the Festival of Trees precedes the Chamber of Commerce’s Homedale for the Holidays Night Light Parade and the city tree lighting ceremony in the evening.

The other donated holiday items will be placed in a silent auction, bids for which will be accepted each day the Festival

of Trees is open. Money for the Meals on Wheels program will be raised through the auctions.

Sam has met with Eidemiller and senior center coordinator Shirley McAbee on a few occasions to plan the event as well as get context on the Meals and Wheels program.

According to the flyer advertising Sam’s event, Meals on Wheels in the Homedale-Wilder area has been delivering hot and nutritious meals to homebound seniors for 40 years.

The program serves about 400 meals each month at a cost of about \$1,000 per month, Eidemiller said at last week’s Chamber of Commerce luncheon.

During the Chamber meeting, Stacy Woods said her daughter had secured about eight trees for the festival, but her goal is about 20.

Organizing an event is nothing new for Sam. She helped put together her FFA chapter’s Harvest Auction earlier this year.

The Senior Project requirement also includes a research paper or a job shadow, and Sam chose to shadow Dr. Annie Mueller at the Owyhee Veterinary Clinic.

“I really want to be a veterinarian, but I want to do community service, too,” Sam said.

— JPB

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✓ SRO: Training begins in coming weeks

experimental program,” Sheriff Perry Grant said. “If it works the way we’d like to see it work, we’ll continue funding the program and possibly build on to it and add to it.”

First-year cost for the program could be less than \$50,000, including wages and benefits, training and fuel costs, Grant said. Wood is outfitted with equipment OCSO received from the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

County commissioners had built a Fiscal Year 2015 budget line for the SRO in anticipation of receiving the grant, but County Clerk Angie Barkell said that Grant will work on cuts in other areas and look for other revenue sources to fund the new position.

Neither school district will contribute to the cost of the program at this juncture, Grant said. The sheriff said Wood could also spend some time in the Homedale district. Sgt. Mike McFetridge serves as the Homedale Police Department’s SRO with the Homedale district through an agreement in which the city and school district share the cost evenly.

“The Marsing district was ready to jump on board and help out, but like I said, we don’t want a financial commitment until we find out how the program will

work and how it will benefit the schools and the school districts,” Grant said.

Wood lives in Marsing and has ties to the Marsing School District. He was a star quarterback for the Huskies in the late 1980s, and he has served as a teacher and varsity football coach. The Huskies’ girls’ basketball team began practice Monday with Wood as its first-year coach.

“I’m very excited about it,” Marsing schools superintendent Norm Stewart said. “I think it’s a great opportunity and a great partnership with the sheriff’s office to increase awareness and student safety.”

Wood will split his time each week between the two school districts, probably spending two days in each district. Marsing students are in school from Monday to Thursday, and Rimrock students attend class Tuesday through Friday.

“I think it’s a great program. It gives us another set of hands to help us out with the school if there are any legal issues (or) issues with drugs,” Bruneau-Grand View superintendent Dennis Wilson said.

“Also, it’s another resource to help kids on a lot of different things related to life in general.”

Grant said Wood will

train with the Nampa Police Department and will be mentored by OCSO waterways deputy Milt Greenwood, who joined the sheriff’s office after retiring from an SRO position in Nampa. OCSO Sgt. Gary Olsen, a former SRO, also is serving as a mentor for Wood.

“Milt has a great vision for this program,” Grant said.

Some of the elements that could be implemented include 15-minute classes at the elementary school level on concepts such as calling 911 and Stranger Danger. Greenwood could spend time in the schools teaching waterways safety, too.

“All the way up to the senior year, we’ll build on things and (the students’) knowledge,” Grant said. “If we didn’t have Milt, I don’t know if I’d be trying this.”

Wood will go through the Idaho Peace Officers Standards and Training academy this summer and also will take part in SRO-specific training, Grant said. The first SRO training is a free class in Oregon in the coming weeks, Grant said. All the county has to pay for is lodging and meals.

In the summer when school is out, Wood would provide general patrol assistance and continue training.

— JPB

Herders OK after snowy night out

Search just starting when pair emerges

An Owyhee County rancher and his granddaughter made it out safe Sunday morning after getting caught in a snowstorm while gathering cattle.

Several Sheriff’s Posse personnel were dispatched at about 6:15 a.m. Sunday when it was reported that rancher Mike Hanley and his teenage granddaughter hadn’t returned to the Bonnie Cow Camp by Saturday evening.

Owyhee County Sheriff’s Chief Deputy Lynn Bowman said Hanley and his granddaughter

waited until daylight Sunday to get out. Neither person was injured, but they were “a little cold,” Bowman said.

Up to 1½ feet of snow fell overnight Saturday when the two were gathering cows near Deep Creek south of the Bonnie Ranch on Juniper Mountain Road.

Bowman said Sheriff’s Sgt. Kenny Hoagland searched for the pair while the rest of the search and rescue crew — about nine men according to the dispatch report — made its way to Jordan Valley.

Fellow rancher Mike Skinner flew his plane in search of the pair until the clouds rolled in, Bowman said.

— JPB

Marsing man gets three years for lewd conduct with minor

A 29-year-old Marsing Labor Camp resident must serve three years in prison after his conviction on lewd conduct charges.

Jose Antonio Cruz-Santos was sentenced last month after entering a guilty plea before Third District Judge Christopher S. Nye in a Murphy courtroom.

Cruz-Santos entered a guilty plea to two felony counts of lewd conduct with a minor under 16 and a misdemeanor charge of child enticement.

Nye sentenced Cruz-Santos to three years in state prison for the

lewd conduct convictions and six months in jail on the enticement charge.

The sentences are concurrent, and Cruz-Santos was credited for the 229 days he had spent in Owyhee County Jail following his February arrest on a \$150,000 warrant.

He also must pay \$5,000 restitution to the victim, a 16-year-old girl.

Cruz-Santos committed the crimes in his Labor Camp apartment on Jan. 13, according to court records. He was arrested after Owyhee County Sheriff’s Sgt. Jeff Wasson obtained a warrant to search Cruz-Santos’ apartment and comb his computer for evidence of emails sent to the defendant after the crimes.

— JPB



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Lizard Butte artist to give away art

Bad economic times put Linda Powers on the artistic path at an early age, and now she wants to get someone else interested in the craft at a young age.

This month, she's showing off the product of her life holding a paintbrush as the Friends of the Lizard Butte Library's featured artist.

Powers will share her talent in another way, too. She's giving away one of her paintings to a boy or girl 13 or younger. Children can enter the drawing while visiting the Lizard Butte Library in Marsing to view her work.

"Aside from one very old painting in my grandfather's attic, all of my family's talents were musical," Powers said. "If it weren't for economical bad times, I would have had piano lessons."

Still, she says, she knew nothing about "art" until she went to school.

With her teacher's encouragement, Powers began a pursuit that brought her scholarships. She took classes and learned about oil painting from library books about old masters.

And now, her love of art has brought her back to a library.

"I discovered the impressionists, the traditionalists, and the illustrators," she said. "Looking at my work, I think you will find all of them."

People have told Powers the



Linda Powers sits with two of her works, including "Jesus' Rainbow Horse," above her, which the prize in a drawing set for later this month.

colors of her paintings are what make her work special.

"I don't know except that there will be purple in there somewhere," she said.

And, yes, the painting that will be given away does have purple in it.

"Jesus' Rainbow Horse," inspired by the book Heaven is for Real, is the prize in the youth

drawing, which will be held at 1 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 22. Entry is free, and entrants needn't be present to win.

The Lizard Butte Library, located at 111 S. 3rd Ave. W., in Marsing, is open from noon to 6 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from noon to 7 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday and from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday.

Homedale Teens & Tweens plan Comic Con party

All month long the Homedale Public Library Teens & Tweens will pursue a program with a funny name, and members are being encouraged write a novel.

November is NanoWrimo, or National Novel Writing Month, and the local observation begins at 4 p.m. Friday at the library when the Tweens and Teens hold a Comic Con party.

Boys and girls ages 10 to 17 are invited to come dressed as their favorite comic, anime or movie character. The group will write a comic.

The program starts at 4 p.m. at the Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave.

The rest of the month features the opportunity to take the NanoWrimo challenge, which is writing a novel containing at least 3,000 words, or spending meeting times doing other writing-related games.

Teens & Tweens coordinator Teasha Harris will put the choice to a vote during Friday's meeting.

Harris also announced that the program's Make-A-Wish Foundation coin drive will

continue through Christmas. The Teens & Tweens raised \$44.50 through October and decided to extend the service project for another month.

Folks can drop their change into the coin jar at the library's front desk.

For more information, call the library at 337-4228. The library is open from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Thursday, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday and from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday.

Story Time scheduled

"Tap the Magic Tree," by Christie Matheson is the featured reading at this week's Story Time.

The story follows the seasonal cycle of a tree, giving children the opportunity to learn how Mother Nature works.

The children's program, which also includes songs, refreshments and crafts, starts at 10:15 a.m. Friday at the Homedale Public Library.

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The Rimrock Senior Center gets into the mood for holiday goodies while trying to raise some money Saturday.

A holiday cookie tasting will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the senior center, 525 Main St., in Grand View.

Community members are invited to donate two dozen small cookies and the corresponding recipe for the event.

Trays of cookies will be available to sample, and recipes will be sold for 50 cents each.

Coffee and punch will be served, too.

Proceeds from the sale will help operate the senior center.

To donate cookies and a recipe, call project chair Jackie Lucas at (208) 834-2313 or the senior center at (208) 968-5430.

In addition to the cookie tasting, the senior center's Trinkets and Treasures thrift shop will be open so people can shop for Christmas decorations.

The senior center is open on Tuesday and Thursday with lunch available, and the Trinkets and Treasures shop is open from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday.

Bazaar Saturday in Melba

The Melba Holiday Baza will be held Saturday at the Melba High School Commons.

More than 20 vendors will be on hand from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., and admission is free.

Proceeds benefit the school's Business Professionals of America (BPA) and Family Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) chapters.

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One-car wreck knocks out power

Drivers escape injuries in two other accidents

A woman was transported to the hospital complaining of pain after a one-vehicle accident that knocked out electricity to dozens of households in two counties.

Maria Guardado Quezada, 19, of Caldwell suffered knee and wrist injuries when she drove her 2001 Oldsmobile sedan into a power pole near the corner of Titus Lane and Market Road in Homedale, Owyhee County Sheriff's Chief Deputy Lynn Bowman said.

Bowman said Guardado Quezada told deputies that she was on her way to pick up her husband when her brakes failed as she drove through a sharp curve at about 50 mph.

The impact of the wreck, which took place sometime after 7:30 p.m. on Oct. 28, knocked down a power pole and damaged a transformer. The power pole slammed across the roof of Guardado Quezada's car. Bowman said Idaho Power reported about \$15,000 in damage.

The wreck also caused about \$500 in damage to a spray rig and fencing at a nearby dairy, Bowman said.

Idaho Power spokesman Kevin Winslow said the downed power pole resulted in an interruption in electrical service to 40 households

Electrical service was lost for about 6½ hours when this car slammed into a power pole on Market Road. Photo courtesy OCSO

in an area bordered by the Snake River on the north, Mule Springs Lane on the south, U.S. Highway 95 on the east and Succor Creek Road on the west.

The outage began at 7:47 p.m., and Winslow said crews had power restored 6½ hours later. He said the feeder line provides electricity to customers in Owyhee, Malheur and Canyon counties.

Marsing Ambulance transported Guardado Quezada to West Valley Medical Center in Caldwell. Bowman said she was cited for failure to purchase a driver's license, a misdemeanor, and a failure to provide proof of insurance infraction.

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Woman cited in crash

A 38-year-old Marsing woman received an infraction citation for following too close after a two-vehicle accident on Main Street in Marsing.

Martha Castillos drove her car into the back of a vehicle driven by Kristen Custer, 34, of

Caldwell shortly before 11 a.m. last Wednesday.

Bowman said the accident in front of the River Bend Apartments occurred when Custer slammed on her brakes to avoid a cat darting across the road and Castillos didn't have time to react.

No other people were in the cars, and neither driver was injured, Bowman said.

Woman unhurt in crash

A 27-year-old Boise woman who said she was unfamiliar with the road escaped injury early on Oct. 27 when she drove into a field.

Bowman said Jessica Laray Hardman told deputies she was feeling tired while driving on U.S. 95 near Cemetery Road when she lost control of her 2000 Dodge Caravan in a curve and drove off the road into a field.

No citations were issued, Bowman said.

— JPB

Homedale TOPS plans open house, bazaar

The local TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) chapter will hold an open house for anyone interested in learning about the healthy living organization.

The group also plans a holiday bazaar Saturday as a fundraiser. Table space is available for rental. Call Darlene at 482-6893 for more information.

TOPS ID No. 0243, based in Homedale, will hold an open house at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday at the First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St. W. For more information, call 337-3867.

The TOPS chapter meets at the church each Thursday in an effort to promote better health through

reasonable eating and exercise.

During the open house, TOPS will celebrate two members who achieved their weight goal this summer as well as a member who has maintained her normal weight for 25 years after losing about 40 pounds.

"We celebrate every pound lost and act as a support to not give up when we gain," Homedale resident Nancy Belknap wrote in an email about the open house.

The bazaar takes place from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday inside the church. A variety of homemade crafts and food items suited for the holidays will be available.

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Homedale Middle School fifth-graders, from left, Josh Brown, Jayden Rose and Hayden Kincheloe move a tote full of onions. Submitted photo

HMS gleaning helps HELP food bank

Fifth-graders haul onions to elementary school pantry

A short walk across Johnstone Road went a long way toward helping the less fortunate in the community.

After a book discussion, teachers launched a plan in which Homedale Middle School fifth-graders would glean local fields and donate the results to Homedale Elementary Li'l Pantry (HELP) food bank.

Responding to a call for gleaning opportunities, local farmer Suzanne Takasugi offered one of her fields for the students' community service project.

"All the fifth-graders and teachers walked across the street and gleaned over 350 pounds of onions," HMS teacher Lesa Folwell

said. "The day was extremely hot, and it was dusty, but every kid had a smile on their face while they ran around and picked up onions."

Ninety students participated from classes taught by Folwell, Debby Turner, Kelly Schamber and Zack Kimball.

After the gleaning work on Sept. 24, the produce was hauled to the elementary school, and two students from each fifth-grade class stayed after school to unload onions at the HELP room.

"While there, they were given a little tour of the facility," Folwell said. "It was an amazing opportunity to help a community that is always helping and supporting us."

South Board irrigation directors to meet Tuesday

Irrigation directors who comprise the South Board of Control will hold their November series of meetings Tuesday.

The meetings begin at 1 p.m. with the Ridgeview Irrigation District board.

The Gem Irrigation District

directors meet at 1:15 p.m.

The SBOC directors convene at 1:30 p.m.

The meetings take place at the South Board office, 118 S. 1st St., Homedale.

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Deputies' run-ins with rutting deer cautionary tales for drivers

Game animals frequently cross roads this time of year

Authorities are reminding motorists to use caution on area highways in the wake of a string of deer versus vehicle accidents, including three involving Owyhee County Sheriff's vehicles.

Three sheriff's patrol vehicles were damaged in the span of 11 days last month, including two accidents 12 hours apart last week on the west end of the county.

"It's the beginning of the rut on this part of the county, and bucks are chasing does and does are chasing bucks," OCSO Chief Deputy Lynn Bowman said.

"They're coming out of the fields from meeting all night and returning to their hidey-holes."

A herd of deer charged onto Idaho highway 78 just before 8:30 a.m. last Wednesday with

one crossing a lane of traffic and slamming into the driver's side of a sheriff's office Dodge Charger driven by new school resource officer Jaime Wood. The car sustained about \$1,000 in damage, Bowman said.

The deer was badly injured, and Wood had to put it down. The carcass was salvaged.

The herd ran back into the field south of Walking Plow Lane only to return to the highway and cause another motorist to swerve, Bowman said.

About 12 hours earlier, on Oct. 28, a three-point buck jumped in front of the patrol pickup driven by OCSO Deputy Larry Kendrick near milepost 50 on Idaho 78. Kendrick was returning home from his shift, Bowman said.

The impact killed the deer and caused about \$5,000 damage to the front end of the truck, but Bowman said it could have been worse if the truck hadn't been equipped with a brush guard.

On Oct. 18, Deputy Terry McGrew also hit a deer.

Bowman said the county deputies' run-ins with deer serve as reminders for motorists to be alert on the road during this time of year. He said most of the deer have been crossing Idaho 78, but there have been reports of deer crossing Idaho 51 near Bruneau and even Johnstone Road in Homedale.

Bowman advised motorists to "really pay attention" during the morning commute.

"Watch in the early-morning hours before the sun's up and a little further beyond that," he said.

— JPB

Festival of Trees benefits Marsing seniors

The Marsing Festival of Trees and Last Chance Bazaar will be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 29, at the Phipps-Watson Marsing American Legion Senior Center.

The bazaar and festival is held

on the same day as the city's night light parade through downtown and tree lighting at Island Park.

Vendor cost for the bazaar is \$20 per table. Vendors will be able to set up beginning at 7 a.m.

Reserve a spot by calling

Laurence at 337-4617.

The Festival of Trees is a fundraiser for the Marsing Senior Center.

Call Nina Collett at 899-9864 for more information on the Festival of Trees.

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Hearing set on public lands rights-of-way

Owyhee County continues the process of asserting rights-of-way on roads and trails on public lands. Another public hearing will be held at 6 p.m. Monday inside the courthouse annex building, 17069 Basey St., in Murphy. The roads and trails to be discussed are located south of Bruneau to the Nevada border in an area about 15 miles east and west of Idaho highway 51. Maps are available for viewing in the county Planning and Zoning office in the courthouse annex. The office is usually open from 8:30 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. The county will accept written comments until 5 p.m. on Dec. 10. Comments can be mailed to P.O. Box 128, Murphy, ID 83650 or hand-delivered to the County Clerk's office at the courthouse between from 8:30 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Both the clerk's office and P&Z office will be closed Tuesday for Veterans Day. The groups or the criteria are not intended to cover rights-of-way on private land. The county began the process to protect existing trails and roads on public lands from closure through Bureau of Land Management action, such as resource and travel management plans.

Research may affect river access near Marsing

Snake River access in Marsing may be affected by an Idaho Power project today through Friday. The public utility and The Freshwater Trust will take soil samples from the river around Bayha Island. Core samples will be taking from several locations near the island and along the southerly bank of the river downstream from Walter's Ferry. All the work is being done within the Deer Flat National Wildlife Refuge. While Idaho Power will try to minimize the impact to boaters, anglers, hunters and other river users, some access restrictions will be necessary for public safety because of the user of heavy equipment. Work began this morning and should be complete by Friday. The project is part of Idaho Power's long-term goal of improving the river's water quality. Samples will help determine the feasibility of expanding the island and creating a narrower, deeper river channel, allowing for faster streamflow and less sediment.

Phone rates going up in remote areas

The Idaho Public Utilities Commission has approved a rate increase Oregon-Idaho Utilities (OIU), which proveds telephone service for several rural communities in Owyhee country. An increase from the current monthly rate of \$15.77 to \$20 will occur over four years. A 23-cent hike, effective Dec. 1, will take the monthly rate to \$16. Rates will rise to \$18 on June 1, 2016 and \$20 on June 1, 2017. According to the PUC, the company serving South Mountain, Silver City, Jordan Valley, Ridgeview and Adrian hasn't raised its rates since 1990. OIU was required to raise its rates to remain eligible for FCC funding that encourage the development of cellular broadband in rural areas. The FCC requires a minimum rate of \$20.46, which OIU will achieve with the \$20 monthly rate and other state fees.

HMS students of month named

Homedale Middle School recently saluted its September students of the month, the first honorees for the 2014-15 school year: really appreciate Nadia's positive attitude and modeling of a great citizen."



Eighth grade
Student — Monique Hernandez
Parents — Albert and Maria Hernandez
Nominated by — Amber Faris, social studies teacher

Teacher's comment — "Monique is always listening, participating and being a good citizen. She is honest and kind to her classmates. I can always count on her being on task and helping if needed. I appreciate her in my classroom."



Seventh grade
Student — Nadia Garza
Parents — Ralph and Sonya Garza
Nominated by — Shannon Johnson, art teacher

Teacher's comment — "Nadia is always respectful in and out of classes when I see her. She is demonstrating excellent behavior both academically and behaviorally. Nadia's grades are significantly better than they were last year. "I have noticed Nadia cleaning up and straightening my classroom even without being asked. I



Sixth grade
Student — Jacob Ankeny
Parents — Heidi and Luke Ankeny
Nominated by — Jamie Freelove, math teacher

Teacher's comment — "Jacob Ankeny is an excellent student who works every day to be successful. He shows diligent effort in the classroom as well as exemplary behavior. Jacob is a leader in the classroom and with his peers. "His assignments are consistently turned in on time and completed with impressive efforts. He is always willing to help another student and contributes to the learning process of his peers. "His citizenship is impressive in every aspect. He always has a smile on his face and behaves in a respectful manner at all times, in the classroom and in the community. Jacob is viewed as a leader by his peers and his teachers."



Fifth grade
Student — Eli Heck
Parents — Camille and Jason Heck
Nominated by — Zack Kimball, fifth-grade teacher

Teacher's comment — "This young man has been a true leader in my class. You can tell upfront that he has been taught right from wrong. He applies himself in every way possible to ensure he receives the best possible education for himself. "This individual is my student of the month selection also because of the way he presents himself as a student-athlete. He has football practice at 6 p.m. every night and has managed to turn in his homework every day and maintain his grades at a high level."



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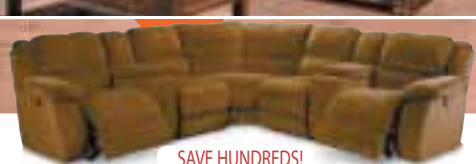


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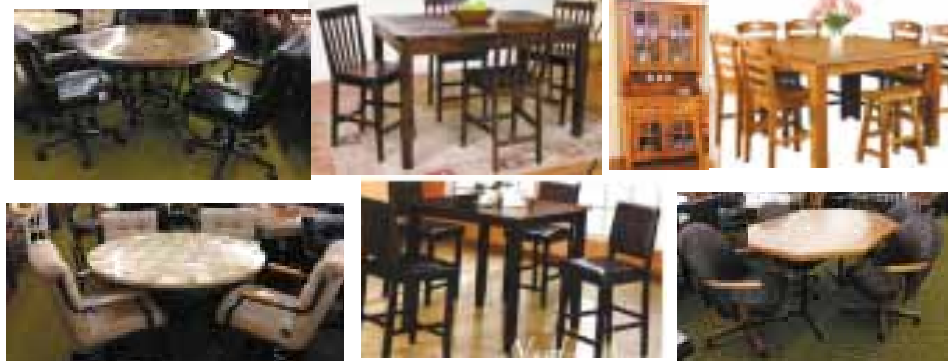
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Holtry: Confident Trojans ready for Huskies

Matt Holtry is banking on familiarity breeding comfort and confidence when his Homedale High School football team meets Emmett on Friday.

The 3A state quarterfinal, set to kick off at 7 p.m. on the Huskies' field, is a rematch of an Oct. 10 3A Snake River Valley conference game at Deward Bell Stadium in which

Emmett scored the first four touchdowns in a 28-15 victory.

Holtry said back-to-back conference losses to Fruitland then Emmett could be chalked up to reading too many headlines and believing the hype about the larger programs. Emmett has a student body of 650 students and enough football talent to field three teams.

"Both those games, my honest opinion, those kids (the Trojans) came in wide-eyed, and now that they played both of them, they don't have that fear or nervousness.

"They're ready to go."

Emmett jumped out to a 28-0 lead on Oct.

— See *Trojans*, page 3B



Coach Matt Holtry, left, addresses the Homedale High School football team after its opening-round 3A state playoffs victory Saturday in Kellogg. Photo submitted by Jamie Mertz

Defensive deluge delivers rainy playoff win

Trojans surf on Wildcats' six turnovers

Homedale High School didn't let a long trip and a little rain dampen the start to another 3A football state playoff run.

In fact, the Trojans embraced the North Idaho weather, and the defense turned it into an advantage in a 27-7 rout of host Kellogg on Saturday.

While Homedale's offense coped with a steady drizzle that turned the Teeters Field turf into a surface better suited for summer slip-and-

"We came out and started off fast. The defense did well and got the ball for us in good position. Everything was clicking in the first half."

— Matt Holtry, HHS football coach

slide activities, Wildcats' quarterback Dominic Easley seemingly couldn't deal with the wet football and opportunistic Trojans.

Homedale picked off a season-high five interceptions and forced six turnovers total.

"(Easley) was trying to place the ball, and that gives the defensive backs a chance to make plays on (throws), which our kids all did," HHS coach Matt Holtry said.

Garrett Carter had two interceptions, while

Jakobee Osborn, John Collett and Brady Brown each picked off Easley's throws.

All five interceptions came early in Kellogg drives either immediately after a Homedale score or — on two occasions — after a Trojans turnover.

The plus-3 takeaway advantage was just one factor that allowed Homedale to maintain the edge in field position, which became crucial as the ball became more

— See *Win*, page 3B

Homedale
Football
(6-3 overall)



Homedale	27
Kellogg	7



Cole Hungate wrapped up his Homedale High School cross country career with a 16th-place medal at the 3A state meet Saturday. Photo by Machele Randall

HHS gets top-10 finishes

Four Trojans run their fastest times

Cole Hungate ended his high school cross country career with his second-fastest time of the season and a medal Saturday as Homedale High School finished seventh in the 3A state meet.

The senior finished 16th at Eagle Island State Park, running the five kilometers in 17 minutes, 34.23 seconds. It was his fastest race of the season since at 17:21 turned in during the Sept. 23 Tiger Challenge in Ontario, Ore.

The Trojans finished 12 points

— See *HHS*, page 4B

Huskies frosh 86th at state meet

Freshman Juan Sierra ran his second-fastest time of the season Saturday in the 1A/2A cross country state meet.

The Marsing High School athlete's 19-minute, 19.7-second time over five kilometers at Eagle Island State Park placed him 86th in the individual standings.

The Huskies' only state meet qualifier was just 11 seconds off his personal best, which was set at 19:08 during the 2A District III meet at Eagle Island on Oct. 24.

District champion Antelopes earn No. 2 seed

Adrian plays host to lone in state playoffs after wiping out Wallowa

After giving up an early score, Adrian High School cruised to the 1A District 1 football championship Friday.

The Antelopes scored eight unanswered touchdowns to crush Wallowa, 60-8, in the district title game in North Powder, Ore.

Second-ranked Adrian's eighth straight victory means another trip to the 1A Oregon state playoffs.

The Antelopes have appeared in the past five state playoffs. Adrian lost to Camas Valley, 52-28, in the 2013 quarterfinals.

Coach Paul Shenk's club is

seeded second in the playoff bracket. The Antelopes (8-0 overall) will open the state playoffs on Friday when No. 15 seed Lone (5-4) of District 4 visits Ward Field.

Against Wallowa, Adrian scored all the points it would need in a 2½-minute span in the first quarter.

Morgan White ran 36 yards for a touchdown, and the two-point

PAT tied the game with 5 minutes, 15 seconds left in the opening frame. Quarterback Reagan Shira put the Antelopes ahead with a 23-yard TD run later in the quarter.

Shira finished with 57 yards and two touchdowns on the ground. His second TD was a 16-yard run during Adrian's 24-point second quarter.

— See *Antelopes*, page 2B

Sports

Trojans' Machuca collects All-3A SRV second-team spot

The second third-place finish in its history with the 3A Snake River Valley conference wasn't enough for Homedale High School to garner any first-team all-conference volleyball players. Junior Gardenia Machuca delivered 166 kills during the Trojans' 5-5 conference season, earning the only All-3A SRV second-team selection for first-year coach Diana Asumendi's squad. Seniors Tori Nash and Morgan Nash were placed on the honorable

mention list. A libero, Tori had 261 digs in the conference campaign. Setter Morgan dished 289 assists. Junior Liset Llamas parlayed a midseason call-up from the junior varsity into a pivotal role on the Trojans and an honorable mention nomination. She led Homedale's outside hitters with 70 kills. No Homedale seniors were selected to compete in Monday's 2A/3A District III All-Star Game in Payette.



Braden Fillmore goes after a ball in Jordan Valley High School's 56-24 loss to Harper/Huntington on Oct. 24. Fillmore is among eight (four on the football team and four on the volleyball squad) who will be recognized during next Wednesday's fall sports dessert. Fillmore and the Mustangs finished the season 2-5 after receiving a forfeit victory over Echo in Friday's 1A District 1 playoffs. Photo by Tara Echave

✓ Antelopes: Offense gains 420 yards on the ground

From Page 1B Shira also would complete four of six passes for 87 yards, including a 20-yard scoring strike to Jett McCoy in the third quarter. Adrian's defense limited Wallowa to 185 yards total offense. Mike Griffin intercepted Wallowa quarterback Chandler Burns, and White notched 6.5 tackles, including 2.5 tackles for loss. Tyler Reay led the defense with nine tackles, while McCoy had six tackles. Chase Walker, who started the

season in street clothes while recovering from a pesky ankle injury, led Adrian's 420-yard rushing attack with 135 yards on seven attempts. He scored on jaunts of 10 and 50 yards in the second quarter. Other touchdowns came from Bryson Shira on a 38-yard run 25 seconds after halftime and Luke Campbell with a two-yard plunge in the fourth quarter. Wallowa's only touchdown came on Micah Fuller's 18-yard scoring reception just 39 seconds before Adrian's first TD of the game. Wallowa (6-2) moves into the state playoffs as the No. 6 seed.

Jordan Valley to salute retiring coach

Fall sports awards set next Wednesday A longtime coach will be honored next Wednesday during the Jordan Valley fall sports awards dessert. Middle school football coach Mike Quintero will be saluted as he retires after 20 years of coaching. The event takes place at 6 p.m. at Jordan Valley High School. Fall athletes from the middle school and high school will be honored, and seniors from the football team and volleyball team will be recognized. Tracy Skinner coached the middle school volleyball team. Community members also will provide an array of desserts. Seniors from first-year coach Bryce Kershner's football team include Nick Eiguren, Lee Stanford, Braden Fillmore and Russell Stanford. The seniors on first-year coach Julie Mackenzie's volleyball team were Breanna Keller, Sharayah Sausser, Andi Warn and Stephanie Youren. The Mustangs finished fourth in the 1A District 8 Tournament. Coaches will hand out awards such as MVP, best offensive player, best defensive player, most inspirational. All-1A High Desert League athletes also will be announced.

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Athlete of the Week

John Collett, jr., football
The Play — The linebacker blocked his third punt of the season Saturday with the ball bouncing through the end zone for a safety and the first score in Homedale's 27-7 victory over Kellogg in a opening-round 3A state playoff game on the road. Collett also had two tackles, an assist and picked off one of the Trojans defense's season-high five interceptions.

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Sports

✓Trojans: Homedale goes back on road for quarterfinal

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10 before the Trojans rallied for a pair of fourth-quarter touchdowns.

“I think the first thing and most important thing for us is we’ve got to be able to finish drives,” Holtry said.

The coach said winning the turnover battle and creating poor field position for the Huskies also will be key Friday night. The Trojans were -1 in takeaways on Oct. 10, and two of Emmett’s scoring drives covered less than 40 yards.

The Oct. 10 win sparked the Huskies’ run to the conference title and signaled the separation between the two squads in the eyes of the state media.

But in the minds of the HHS athletes, there is no separation, Holtry said.

“The most important thing (Homedale players) got out of it

is they looked them in the eye and played with them,” Holtry said of the early-season matchup.

“When they’re on the field and they actually play ’em, they realize they are just high school kids, too.”

Emmett (7-2 and on a seven-game winning streak) is in the first-year of a temporary two-year tenancy in Class 3A.

The Huskies enter Friday’s play-off game ranked No. 3 in the state media poll. Emmett, which had one of two first-round byes in the state playoffs last weekend, garnered two of the 10 first-place votes during the Oct. 28 balloting.

Although Homedale was one of the top four teams in the state at the end of 2013, the Trojans have never appeared in the Top 5 this season and haven’t received a vote in the polling since early September.

—JPB

✓Win: Matteson tosses two touchdown passes in victory

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slippery in the second half — after the Trojans had already built a 27-0 lead.

The Trojans (6-3) also shut out Kellogg’s attempt to convert on third and fourth down. The Wildcats (2-7) went 0-for-11 on third down and failed to get the first down on six fourth-down tries.

The effort far surpassed Homedale’s goal of three three-and-outs in every game. The campaign began with the Milk Jug Game against Parma, and when the Trojans achieve the objective, a sticker goes on each defender’s helmet.

“We wanted to emphasize something that was going to give us an advantage,” Holtry said.

The advantage Saturday was superior field position, which paid immediate dividends in the first quarter after Homedale’s first possession ended nine yards short of the end zone.

“It’s a definite momentum-changer. It’s a game-changer, especially when it’s a tight game,” Holtry said. “The bottom line in the game of football is field position.”

After the defense forced a three-and-out, John Collett streaked in for his third blocked punt of the season. The ball bounced out of the end zone for a safety and the first points of the game.

Homedale’s special teams players have blocked six punts in the past four games.

“Every day, we emphasize one of our special teams, and once again this week we felt good about how we could play against their punt, and the kids executed,” Holtry said.

Homedale started its ensuing drive on Kellogg’s 47-yard line after Miguel Montejano’s 25-

yard return of Justin Petersen’s free kick.

Devin Fisher instigated his 156-yard rushing performance with a 2-yard scoring run, and two plays later, Carter’s first interception set up a three-play drive capped by Lawsen Matteson’s 23-yard touchdown pass to Dayne Jacobs.

“We came out and started off fast,” Holtry said. “The defense did well and got the ball for us in good position. Everything was clicking in the first half.”

In the second quarter, Matteson hit Connor Carter for a 40-yard TD pass as part of Homedale’s longest scoring drive of the game (eight plays, 68 yards). Jacobs scored on a 13-yard run to capitalize on Osborn’s interception.

The big cushion at halftime gave Homedale enough equity to survive a second half marred by poor field conditions.

Holtry said the majority of the Trojans’ seven fumbles (three lost) came on the exchange between Matteson and center Bo Pickett. The rain cost Homedale on three drives inside the Kellogg 5 and forced the Trojans to alter their offensive formation, moving Matteson out of the pistol and under center. Delayed snaps because of the slick ball led to false starts, too. Penalties negated two touchdowns.

Kellogg’s only touchdown — with 2 minutes, 7 seconds left in the game — was a product of field position when a Wildcat defender fell on Jacob Furlott’s fumble in the end zone.

The Trojans still piled up 25 first downs (to Kellogg’s nine) and 484 yards total offense while limiting the Wildcats to 146.

—JPB

Homedale athletics fundraiser begins

Homedale student-athletes have begun fundraising for their respective sports programs.

High school and middle school student-athletes will take orders for Christmas trees, wreaths and centerpieces through Nov. 17.

The goal is to sell 600 trees, and proceeds will help finance uniforms, equipment and facility upgrades.

For more information, contact Matt Holtry at the high school, 337-4613.



Above: A group of volunteers, including Matt Dorsey, Drew Taylor, Gunner Clapp, Weston Dorsey, Blake Patton, Bob Jenkins and Dustin Patton work to lift the Homedale High School baseball field’s announcer booth/concession stand off its old foundation. **Below:** Ron Clapp and Bob Jenkins (foreground) and Nash Johnson and Dustin Patton stand by after the Homedale High School baseball field’s announcer booth/concession stand was placed in its new location. Submitted photos

Volunteers relocate Homedale concession stand, press box

More improvements have been made at the Homedale High School baseball field.

A group of players and parents worked for two weekends, wrapping up the first phase of the project a few weeks ago.

The work included pouring a new cement slab in order to relocate the announcer’s booth/concession stand away from the backstop to allow for more unobstructed viewing space for the fans.

A 20-foot-by-24-foot concrete slab was poured and two forklifts donated by Cat Rentals of Boise were used to lift the building and move it to its new location.

Owyhee Baseball Inc., a non-

profit organization created to finance operation of the county’s American Legion teams, paid for the concrete and volunteers smoothed it.

The next phase of the project includes an exterior stairway and an exterior door for access to the second-floor announcer’s booth. Previously, people had to enter into the concessions stand and climb a ladder through the ceiling to reach the second floor.

Dave Taylor will build the stairs with material donated by Idaho Equipment and Sheet Metal.

HHS baseball coach Burke Deal said another upgrade includes installing roll-up doors

for the concession stand. Action Garage Doors will donated the doors, and other parts will be donated by Valli Information Systems, Dustin Patton, Cat Rentals, Ideal Custom Homes Inc., and Sunnyslope Cattle.

Deal, Patton and Taylor were among those who provided labor for the two-week project earlier this month. Other contributors included Blake Patton, Gunner Clapp, Ron Clapp, Matt Dorsey, Wyatt Dorsey, Weston Dorsey, Kathy Deal, Jake Deal, Drew Deal, Drew Taylor, Nash Johnson, Christian Rios, Jose Buenrostro, Ben Hilton, Jaylon Hilton, Bob Jenkins, Bo Jenkins and Rod Bean.



Sports



Homedale High School athletes Benny Schamber, left, and Ryan Randall, center, lead a group of runners over one of the more scenic portions of the Eagle Island State Park course during Saturday's 3A cross country state meet.

✓ HHS: Correa, Shenk land top finishes for girls' squad

From Page 1B

off Emmett's sixth-place score in the team standings. The Huskies also edged Homedale for the 3A District III championship earlier in October.

The Homedale girls' squad was ninth in the state meet team standings as junior Maya Correa finished 25th in 22:06.24.

Four other HHS boys finished in the top 60 on Saturday:

- Riley Portwood, sr., 35th at 18:38.56
- Nash Johnson, jr., 53rd, 19:29.66
- Chad Hungate, jr., 55th, 19:31.34
- Alex Beckman, so., 56th, at personal-best time of 19:32.26

Three other HHS girls finished in the top 60:

- Elise Shenk, senior, 31st at 22:23.5
 - Lainey Johnson, freshman, 42nd, 23:02.16
 - Hannah Egusquiza, freshman, 60th, 24:22.96 (nearly 50 seconds faster than her personal record)
- Rounded out the boys' performance were:
- Ryan Randall, so., 68th, 20:13.51 (four seconds off his PR)
 - Benny Schamber, jr., 73rd, 20:27.06
- The rest of the girls' competitors included:
- Delaney Phariss, sr., 64th, 24:51.98
 - Justine Cornwall, sr., 71st, 26:53.71
 - Vanessa Zenor, sr., 72nd, 27:09.47 (personal-best time)



Homedale High School cross country runners senior Elise Shenk, left, and freshman Lainey Johnson make a turn during the 3A state championship girls' race Saturday at Eagle Island State Park. Photo by Machele Randall



Junior Nash Johnson, left



Senior Delaney Phariss



Senior Vanessa Zenor



Senior Justine Cornwall

Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

November 8, 1989

Silver City land transfer to (finally) become a reality
After efforts for over a quarter of century, homeowners in Silver City will finally have the opportunity to purchase the land their homes are on, according to officials of the Bureau of Land Management.
The land is owned by the Department of Interior, and the homes and other buildings in the old mining town in the Owyhee Mountains have been in trespass, records show.
Silver City was established in the 1860s when miners began to relocate to the site from Ruby City, due at least in part to the winds which blew up the draw of Owyhee County’s first city. In those days, property ownership was not important. Basically, it was assumed that squatters’ rights went with the homes. If any of the early settlers did in fact file on the land, the records were destroyed in the courthouse fire around 1865.
In the 1960s an organization called the “Silver City Taxpayers Association” formed, comprised of Silver City homeowners. The main purpose of the group was to resolve the dispute over ownership of the lands, according to president Paul Nettleton.
The BLM has made several attempts to resolve the issue. A few years ago, the deeds were ready to be transferred, when the Wilderness Society filed a lawsuit asking that the federal government not be allowed to dispose of any lands. The group lost the suit, but only after delaying the action in Silver City. The transfer was again stopped by a mining claim which encompassed the majority of the town. (The BLM must keep the mineral rights to the property they sell.) This was finally resolved by another court action, and it appears all the hoops have been cleared for the sale of the land.

Care center breaks ground

A variety of business and community leaders joined the owners of the Homedale Care Center Monday afternoon at a groundbreaking ceremony and reception marking the start of a building expansion estimated to cost \$190,000.
Rodney Roe, owner of the facility that is in the process of being renamed Roe’s Country Manor, said that a new wing is being added to the building on the west end. It will permit 12 beds to be added along with a new activity room. The dining room is also being expanded, and new roofing is planned for the existing building. The total expansion amounts to 4,600 square feet.
Homedale Mayor Paul Fink joined Roe and his wife, Edith, in front of the care center to take part in the symbolic groundbreaking ceremony as about two dozen guests looked on. Cake and coffee were served to residents and guests.

Crisis deepens as teachers authorize strike

The crisis over unsettled teachers’ contracts in Marsing deepened on Monday, as the school district’s teachers moved one step closer to a strike by voting a “unanimous” strike authorization, while School Board Chairman Charles (Chuck) Kojis resigned with an angry blast at the “unprofessional” conduct of the teachers’ negotiating team.
At a special board meeting Monday night, Superintendent of Schools Joe Whitten presented detailed budget facts and figures needed to “correct some of the erroneous information” he maintained was being directed from Boise by the Idaho Education Association, a state teacher’s union.
Trustee Ron Kiester, who attended last week’s meeting at which an IEA operative, David Nimtz, counseled Marsing teachers to vote a strike authorization, denounced Nimtz as “a trouble-maker. He wants a strike. That’s how he makes his name,” Kiester maintained at the board session. “We need to keep harmony here,” he counseled.
Kiester also defended Whitten and Kojis, whom he felt had been unreasonably and unfairly attacked by the IEA agent. “Chuck has been the biggest supporter of teachers’ pay raises, as chairman of the board, and they’re trying to cut his throat,” he said before the board session began.
Kiester called Whitten “a professional administrator and when he’s starting to be scandalized (unfairly maligned) it’s completely wrong.”

50 years ago

November 5, 1964

Trojans romp to 55-12 win over New Plymouth
The Trojans fought their way back into contention for the conference title by threshing New Plymouth 55-12 on the Homedale field Friday night.
The Trojans had little difficulty scoring as they did eight times throughout the game; twice in the first quarter, once in the second quarter, three times in the third quarter, and twice again in the final stanza.
Homedale scored twice in the first quarter, once on a 30-yard jaunt by Ken Kushlan with Skip Bicandi adding the P.A.T., and again when Skip Bicandi galloped for 50 yards and pay-dirt with Ken Kushlan adding the extra point. The two teams departed for the half with the Trojans ahead 21-0.
The Trojans started things off good at the start of the second half when Skip Bicandi took the kick-off back 80 yards and pay-dirt with Ken Kushlan adding the extra point. Ken Kushlan scored two touchdowns that period on a 30-yard jaunt and on a 1-yard burst. Skip Bicandi added one extra point and a kick failed on the other.
Tony Maher caught a Bicandi aerial and galloped 40 yards for a touchdown with Jim Wilson kicking the extra point in the fourth quarter. Skip Bicandi also made a touchdown that period on a 20-yard jaunt with Ken Kushlan adding the conversion.
The game leaves Homedale with a 3-1 record and in a tie for first place in the conference and leaves New Plymouth with a 2-2 record.

150 attend Halloween movie Saturday

About 150 children attended the movie, “Seven Faces of Dr. Lao,” sponsored each year by the Homedale Chamber of Commerce on Halloween, held at the Marsing Theatre, Saturday afternoon according to Frank Matteson. Committee in charge of the event were Mr. Matteson and Merle Hamilton.
Two buses left for the theatre at 1 p.m. from the Homedale park. Drivers were Henry Boslau and Rev. Charles Whaley. Chaperoning the children was Mrs. Lydia Duncan.
The Etruscan Car Club supplied five autos with four two-way radios for patrolling Homedale streets on Halloween night, according to Chief of Police Frank Orr.
The club members righted overturned trash cans and also a trailer that was overturned by pranksters, and assisted with other minor incidents.
A special thanks from the police department was given by the car club by Chief Orr.

Mary Lee Wood is new County Home Agent

The Owyhee County Commissioners have approved the appointment of Mrs. Mary Lee Wood as Extension Home Agent, effective Nov. 1.
Prior to joining the extension staff, Mrs. Wood was Home Service Adviser of the Idaho Power Company and Home Economics teacher at Meridian High School. She is a graduate of Fresno State College, Calif.
Mary Lee and her husband, Doug, reside near Nampa on a farm and they raise registered Quarter horses and Angus cattle. Doug is field representative for the American Angus Association.
Having worked with some of the Extension Clubs and the Owyhee County Fair, Mrs. Wood says she feels acquainted with some of the people in the county and is looking forward to meeting many more.
—Jesse Wilson, extension agricultural agent.

Succor Crik Sam Sez: “Now that we got our own private jungle war settled, it’s about time we did somethin’ about that one in South Viet-Nam.”

Homedale locals

Linda Cahill and Milly Nash were overnight guests of Penny Wolff Saturday night at the Dr. George Wolff home.

140 years ago

November 7, 1874

THE RESULT IN OWYHEE COUNTY. As the smoke of the battle clears away we are enabled to judge pretty correctly of the results of the recent election in this county. All the precincts have been heard from, except Rock Creek and Cassia Creek precincts in the extreme eastern portion of the county. Following are the majorities which Hays, Republican candidate for Sheriff received in the various precincts heard from: Silver City, 78; South Mountain, 78; Jordan Valley, 11; Wagontown, 6; War Eagle, 4; Reynolds Creek, 25; Catherine Creek, 16; Bruneau, 15 – total, 233, from which must be deducted 40 majority which Fairview gave to Jones, leaving Hays 193 ahead, with Rock Creek and Cassia Creek to hear from.
James Lynam is undoubtedly elected Auditor and Recorder, and it is also probably that Dr. Becket is elected County Treasurer. Between Miles and Bell, the contest for Assessorship is a close one, and it cannot be told which of them is elected till the returns come in from Rock Creek and Cassia Creek. John Catalow, Joseph Brown and B. M. Davis are in all probability elected County Commissioners.
It is thought that Martin (Rep.) and Augell (Dem.) are elected to the Territorial Council, and that the Democratic Assemblymen with one exception are elected. Pool (Rep.) is probably elected to the Assembly.
John Hallenbeck is supposed to be elected Probate Judge, but it cannot be told for certain till the returns are all in.
John Upham is undoubtedly elected Justice of the Peace and Bob Bosserman Constable for Silver City Precinct.
Geo. Boyd is elected County Coroner.

FROM SOUTH MOUNTAIN. S. M. Wessels, Superintendent of the S.M.C.M. Co., came over from South Mountain yesterday and returned to-day. He informs us that the furnace is operating splendidly, and turning out plenty of bullion.

FOR IDAHO. Silas Skinner, an old resident of Idaho, returned from the East with his family a few days since, and left this morning for Idaho. He was accompanied by a family named Taylor, from Missouri, who go north to remain. — *Winnemucca Silver State, Oct. 30th*

THE DELEGATESHIP. The latest received intelligence gives Bennett 225 majority in Owyhee County, 200 in Ada, 450 in Alturas, 75 in Lemhi – total majority for Bennett in those counties, 650.
Boise County gives Fenn 175 majority, Oneida 150, and it is estimated that North Idaho, composed of Idaho, Shoshone, and Nez Perce counties will give him 350 majority – total majority for Fenn, 675.
This will leave Fenn 25 ahead. But we do not believe that North Idaho will turn out 350 majority for Fenn. If he should not get over 300 majority in that portion of the Territory, chances are decidedly in favor of Bennett’s election.

YESTERDAY’S ELECTION. The election yesterday passed off very quietly in Silver City and throughout Owyhee County, so far as we have been enabled to learn – no fights and nobody hurt. According to the best information we have been able to obtain, Gov. Bennett, the Independent candidate for Congress, has beaten Fenn, the Democratic nominee by at least 175 majority in the county, and C. M. Hays, Republican candidate for Sheriff is probably elected by 200 majority. Present appearances indicate that H. B. Bell, (Rep.) is elected County Assessor, but an official count will be necessary to decide upon the other county officers, as there was a large amount of scratching done. The Democratic Legislative ticket is undoubtedly elected. There were 415 votes case in Silver City precinct, something like 240 at Fairview, 64 at War Eagle, and 283 at South Mountain. As soon as the returns are all in we will publish the number of votes received by the respective candidates in each precinct. The chief struggle appeared to be on the Sheriff question and a large amount of money will change hands on the result.

Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM

On the edge of common sense
The Coyote



Take him for what he’s worth, nothing more,
nothing less.

I think I can speak for the coyote
With more understanding than most.
Especially those who defend him
And think that we should be his host.

They raise up a pitiful cry
And claim he’s a mistreated critter.
Who’ll soon be extinct if the ranchers out West
Don’t put down their rifles and quit’ter.

But like all of God’s creatures around us
There’s always two sides to the tale.
I think if the coyote were human
That most of ’em would be in jail.

Cause there’s no doubt he preys on the weaklings
Or the youngsters too little to run
He slits the throats of cute little lambs
And drags little calves from their mom.

So if you must describe him in terms
Such as wily, and clever and keen
You must also include homicidal,
Sadistic, demented and mean.
But I will choose to do neither
And somehow I wish you would, too.
For the coyote he has no conscience
He’s just doin’ the best he can do.

You can like and dislike the coyote,
Many ranchers I know do both
When he trespasses he will get shot at
But his song in the night brings a toast.

A toast to our neighbor the coyote
Who’ll outlive the earth and the sky.
And be here long after we’ve parted
Like the cockroach, the rat and the fly.

— Visit Baxter’s Web site at www.baxterblack.com for more features and to purchase Baxter Black merchandise, including his newest compilation, “Poems Worth Saving,” other books and DVDs.

Letters to the editor

All letters to the editor submitted to The Owyhee Avalanche must be no longer than 300 words, signed and include the writer’s address and daytime phone number.

The deadline for submitting letters is noon on Friday. Letters can be submitted in these ways:

- E-mailed to jon@owyheeavalanche.com
- Faxed to (208) 337-4867
- Mailed to P.O. Box 97, Homedale ID, 83628
- Dropped off at the Avalanche office at 19 E. Idaho Ave., in Homedale

For more information, call (208) 337-4681.

Letter to the editor

Former HMS counselor’s mentoring advocacy will be missed

Former Homedale Middle School counselor Brent Meiser died at the age of 41 on Oct. 3, 2014 in Redmond, Wash. His colleagues from The Mentoring Network provided this eulogy during his Oct. 18 funeral service at the Christian Faith Center in Nampa and provided it to The Owyhee Avalanche as a tribute to the man and his work.
— Ed.

Please know that The Mentoring Network saw Brent as a champion for kids and one of The Mentoring Network’s best ambassadors and supporters during his time as a counselor in Homedale and then Nampa. Everywhere he went, he promoted our work. He came to this church encouraging their participants to consider becoming mentors. Brent was always aware of the child that would be invisible to most adults and helped those kids get connected to our mentoring program. He was kind, gentle, compassionate, and fun. He always had time for volunteer mentors who might be frustrated, excited about something great that happened, or just wanted to stop by and say “hi” to him.

One year, Jorge, who was a student at Homedale Middle School, got very ill and almost lost his life. The middle school, Brent, Betty (Jorge’s mentor) and Linda (Miklancic, the school secretary) organized a fundraising event to help with medical bills. We have a great picture with Brent, Jorge and another student wearing “goofy glasses.” We have another picture when Jorge was older, with Betty and Brent posing as “see no evil, speak no evil, hear no evil.”

Once at our mentor appreciation gatherings one of our quietest kids addressed the audience. She said even



From left, former Homedale Middle School counselor Brent Meiser, Homedale mentor Betty Arriaga and The Mentoring Network executive director Donna Shines. Submitted photo

a couple of years earlier she would never have had the confidence to speak on a microphone in front of so many people. After she finished, Brent asked if he could say something, and he took the microphone and said that he felt the same way and acknowledged how brave she was.

He always let people know how much he loved God, his wife and their children. Brent was real, his words were kind and The Mentoring Network, the kids who Brent encouraged, our mentors and staff all feel this loss of a great friend, and our love goes out to Brent, Amy, Riley, Jaden and the rest of the family.

The Mentoring Network
Donna Shines, executive director
Betty Arriaga, mentor, Homedale

Sen. Mike Crapo

From Washington
Administration must drop harmful proposed water rule



I have previously written about the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency’s (EPA) efforts to wrongly assert jurisdiction over nearly all waters of the United States. The Obama Administration’s action, which is taken without statutory authority, undermines states’ constitutional water sovereignty, threatens the nation’s economy and encroaches on private landowners’ ability to utilize their property. This misguided proposed rule must be withdrawn.

Now, federal small business advocates are among the critics of the rule and are calling for its withdrawal. In a letter to the EPA and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps), the Office of Advocacy of the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) reinforced the concerns raised by many Americans. SBA advocacy concluded, “The rule will have a direct and potentially costly impact on small businesses. The limited economic analysis which the agencies submitted with the rule provides ample evidence of a potentially significant economic impact.” SBA advocacy explained these concerns and recommended that the agencies withdraw the rule and conduct a Small Business Advocacy Review panel before proceeding any further with this rulemaking.

Under our constitutional system, the states, not the federal government, have always had primary jurisdiction over the allocation, management and use of water. The federal government’s jurisdiction has been limited under the Clean Water Act (CWA) to navigable waters. In an unjustified manner, the federal government is seeking to assert jurisdiction over all waters of the United States through a rule proposed by the EPA and the Corps to revise the definition of “waters of the United States” under the federal CWA. If made final, the EPA’s action would significantly expand federal authority, allowing the agency to regulate nearly every stream, ditch, pond, puddle and

other local water bodies.

It is past time to heed the concerns that the agencies have received and withdraw the rule. Members of Congress are not letting up in opposition to the rule. I recently joined Senate colleagues in again raising the ongoing concerns with the rule and addressing the many inaccurate claims made by EPA about the merits of the overregulation. We called on the EPA and Corps to “reverse course, withdraw the proposed rule, and commit to working more cooperatively with interested stakeholders in future regulatory proceedings.”

This recent action is part of my ongoing efforts with Senate colleagues to oppose this federal water grab and urge the Administration to change course. I joined 37 senators, including fellow Idaho Sen. Jim Risch, in co-sponsoring S. 2496, the Protecting Water and Property Rights Act of 2014, that would prohibit the EPA and the Corps from finalizing the proposed rule. I continue to work with my colleagues to attach this important legislation to bills under consideration by the full Senate.

The EPA’s jurisdictional grab of our waterways violates its statutory authority and congressional intent. Past legislation to achieve this jurisdictional expansion by statute has not been enacted into law. I have helped block it in the U.S. Senate. Further, the water grab is harmful to our economy, undermines state water sovereignty and infringes on property rights. The Administration must demonstrate that the extensive concerns it has received are heard and withdraw the rule.

— Republican Mike Crapo is Idaho’s senior member of the U.S. Senate. He is in his third six-year term and has served in the Senate since 1999. Prior to that, he was a three-term Idaho Second District congressman.

Commentary

Financial management
Debt collectors aren't entitled to your bank information

Dear Dave,
We had our first child a few months ago, and some of the bills have gone to collections. We've paid what we could, but we each make only about \$15,000 a year. Now, we're getting calls and letters from collectors wanting our checking account information and electronic access. When we won't give it to them, they accuse us of not following the terms and conditions of the agreements. They say we'll be penalized if we don't comply. What should we do?

— Stephanie

Dear Stephanie,
You're doing the right thing by not giving them your account information and electronic access. The stuff they're saying is just collector talk, and they're full of crap. The next time you talk to one of them, just let them know you have every intention of paying what's owed. But the bill is going to be paid by you. There's nothing in an agreement that gives them the right to your account numbers

or electronic access. These people can stop lying and act right, or they can go jump in the lake.
The biggest issue here is your income. If I'm your husband, I'm going to find an extra job delivering pizzas a few nights a week for the time being. He could make an additional \$1,000 a month for the next 10 months, and that problem would be solved. Instead of working 40 to 45 hours a week, try working 60 to 80 for just a little while.
Still, you both need to examine your career track for the future. Look into different types of training and education with the attitude of doubling or even tripling your income in the next five years. I want you both to develop long-term plans to increase your income, and a short-term plan to get out from under this debt in a hurry. That's the kind of thinking that will get rid of collectors faster than anything else. They're just a symptom of the bigger problem.

— Dave



DAVE Says
by Dave Ramsey • www.davesays.org

Dear Dave,
I'm a 26-year-old journalist making \$26,000 annually, and the only debt I have is \$31,000 in student loans. I'm following your plan, so I also have \$1,000 in my starter emergency fund and am working side jobs to make extra money. Since my job field is volatile, I've lost and found a couple of jobs in the past few years and have an older car.

Should I beef up my emergency fund in case I go through another job loss or I have problems with my vehicle?

— Sarah

Dear Sarah,
In your case, I think you might want to increase your emergency fund to around \$3,000. Usually, I'd rather people focus on knocking out debt once they have a beginner emergency fund in place, but it sounds like you've got extenuating circumstances in your life. Older cars, especially those with lots of miles, could need attention at any time. And you're right about your job, too. The newspaper world is pretty volatile and even downright insecure at times. This isn't your fault, but I'm glad you're looking ahead.
Just push the pause button on paying off debt for the moment, and build up your emergency fund a bit more. That will give you a little more wiggle room in case life decides to throw something unexpected at you. Then, go back

to paying off debt before you increase your emergency fund to a full three to six months of expenses.
Having a little financial stability is a big thing for you right now, Sarah. It will help you feel a little more secure until the debt is gone. And once that happens, you'll really be able to fly!

— Dave

— Dave Ramsey has authored five New York Times best-selling books: Financial Peace, More Than Enough, The Total Money Makeover, EntreLeadership and Smart Money Smart Kids. His newest best-seller, Smart Money Smart Kids, was written with his daughter Rachel Cruze, and recently debuted at No. 1. Dave's next book, The Legacy Journey, is now available. The Dave Ramsey Show is heard by more than 8 million listeners each week on more than 500 radio stations. Follow Dave on Twitter at @DaveRamsey and on the Web at daveramsey.com.

Americans for Limited Government
“End” of Fed’s quantitative easing program is just the beginning

by Robert Romano
“[T]he Committee decided to conclude its asset purchase program this month. The Committee is maintaining its existing policy of reinvesting principal payments from its holdings of agency debt and agency mortgage-backed securities in agency mortgage-backed securities and of rolling over maturing Treasury securities at auction. This policy, by keeping the Committee’s holdings of longer-term securities at sizable levels, should help maintain accommodative financial conditions.”
That was the Federal Reserve announcing the supposed conclusion of quantitative easing (QE), that is, its U.S. treasuries and Government Sponsored Enterprises (GSE) mortgage-backed securities purchase program that was announced in late 2008 in the middle of the financial crisis.
In the same breath, the central bank announced that there are still to be tens of billions of dollars of asset repurchases every year. As mortgage principal is paid down, the Fed will continue to purchase new mortgage debt. As Treasury debt matures, it will continue to buy new Treasury debt.
Call it QE forever.

This is significant because \$1 trillion of the Fed’s treasuries holdings are in one- to five-year maturities. So, right there, you have an average \$200 billion a year, or \$17 billion a month, of treasuries purchased by the Fed.
As for mortgages, \$1.71 trillion of its \$1.715 trillion in holdings are between 10 and 30 years’ maturity. More precise data is not offered, therefore, depending on the average maturity of the Fed’s mortgage holdings — whether the mortgages were 30-year mortgages to begin with, and even the interest rate on the loans in question — it is hard to say how much principal will be repaid annually.
For example, if one assumes they were 30-year paper, at average interest rate of 5 percent, and an average maturity of 15 years, one might expect about \$50 billion of principal repayment annually from its holdings. If it’s 20 years, then that number drops to \$40 billion. If it’s 25 years, down to about \$30 billion.
So, since we know the Fed bought a lot more long-term mortgage paper than short-term, let’s split the difference on the long end and say principal will be repaid at about \$35 billion a year. That means the Fed will be buying about \$35 billion of new mortgage paper issued by the GSEs — Fannie, Freddie, and Ginnie — every year.

Guess what? That’s enough to cover about 60 percent of the \$58 billion of net, new mortgages that were guaranteed by the GSEs in 2013, and more than enough to cover 100 percent of them in 2014 on account of the fact that outstanding mortgage debt guaranteed by the GSEs has actually dropped by \$37 billion this year so far, according to data compiled by the Federal Reserve.
But, because the Fed’s portfolio will be maturing on an annual basis faster than it is acquiring new mortgages, by 2019, MBS purchases could be \$40 billion a year. By 2024, \$50 billion a year. And so forth for as long as the repurchase program continues.
So, even though the Fed holds about 35 percent of mortgages issued by the GSEs, as principal is repaid on its holdings, it still may be able to acquire a majority of net, new GSE mortgages going forward, especially if overall mortgage maturity exceeds the number of new mortgages entering the system.
Therefore, the asset purchases are not concluded. In fact, they will never be concluded. Such is the nature of open market operations.
— Robert Romano is the senior editor of Americans for Limited Government.

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Public notices

SYNOPSIS OF OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONER MINUTES October 6, 14, 20, 27, 2014

October 6
Approved to pay all outstanding bills from the following funds:
Current Expense \$68,497 Road & Bridge \$883 District Court \$7,285 Probation \$10,972 Health District \$4,531 Indigent & Charity \$14,455 Jr. College Tuition \$500 Revaluation \$111 Solid Waste \$14,585 Tort \$53,168 911 \$1,896 County Vessel \$12,993 Waterways \$6 Econ. Development \$116
Approved the ECC FY2015 Dedicated Enhanced Emergency Communications Grant in the amount of \$22,200.00.
Approved the 2014-2015 Juvenile Detention Housing Agreement with Canyon County for \$155 per 24 hour period.
Approved the 2014-2015 Juvenile Detention Housing Agreement with Valley County for \$100 per 24 hour period.
Approved the Right of Entry Agreement with Idaho Power to conduct a cultural resources study.
Approved the 2014-2015 Web Design Center maintenance agreement in the amount of \$50.00 per month.
Nominated Dave McGraw, Latah County Commissioner, to the 2014 election ballot for the Capital Crimes Defense Fund At-Large Board Member.
Approved the 2015 weed spraying contract with New Environment, LLC. Nominated ICRMP, District III Trustee incumbent, Marc Shigeta.
Approved a pay increase for Prosecuting Attorney Office employee Riley Cowger from \$8.28 to \$9.95.
Approved Paragon Consulting task order 03 in the amount of \$10,000.00 for crushing project document preparation.
Approved a letter to Diane French at IDL regarding the proposed land exchange with BLM. Placed a lien on Indigent & Charity case 14-14. Approved Indigent & Charity case 14-36. Approved Indigent & Charity case 14-37.
Approved Indigent & Charity case 14-40.
October 14
Approved the 2015 maintenance agreement with DataWorks Plus LLC for the fingerprint machine in the Sheriff's office.
Approved 4 Bond Assurance Fund Acknowledgement Forms for Mineral Lease, Dredge, and Placer Permits or Reclamation Plans for E08783, S00929, S00911 and E08816.
Approved free use permit IDI-34402-01 for Crane Falls. Approved the private lane name change of Warn Island Lane.
Approved the Owyhee County Haz Mat Grant fund request for the Bruneau QRU in the amount of \$50,000.00.
Approved the Idaho Gem Grant request for funds for the Bruneau QRU in the amount of \$9,568.00
Approved College of Western Idaho Certificates of Residency for the following:
Jordan Goins, Sierra Bowman, Garret Briggs, Hayden Dines, Shelby Dines, Alec Egurrola, Lisa Hall, McKenna Hall, Elizabeth Hernandez, Holly Hobbs, Tristan Jarvis, Victoria Lane, Caitlyn Lane, Luis Montoya, Miguel Salazar, Vanessa Zenor and Tina Mancuso.
Placed a lien on Indigent & Charity case 14-41. Withdrew the appeal for Indigent & Charity case 14-29. Approved Indigent & Charity case 14-41. Approved a letter

to Brian Davis, Jarbidge Field Manager regarding the permit renewal process.
October 20
Approved to pay all outstanding bills from the following funds, except the Cascade Fence Company invoice.
Current Expense \$70,733 Road & Bridge \$23,403 Dust. Court \$8,051 County Fair \$161 Fair, Grnds., Bldgs. \$1,548 Probation \$2,580 Hist. Soc./Museum \$648 Indigent & Charity \$39,721 Jr. College \$8,650 Revaluation \$1,564 Solid Waste \$1,562 Veterans Memorial \$1,200 911 \$7,889 County Vessel \$2,716 Waterways \$160 OHV \$65 Econ. Develop. \$2,111
Approved Certificates of Residency to the College of Western Idaho for Charlie Sawyer, Jennifer Bautista, Orion Cardenas-Ritzert, Madison Conant, Kirsten Egurrola, Jennifer Hernandez, Kerigan Morris, Carli Purdom, Isaac Riley, Jessica Riley, Elsie Shenk, Kelsey Stimpson, Matthew Thatcher, Todd Thomas, Josh Tolmie, Sera Webb, Callie Young, Ana Zavala and Makenzie Anderson.
Approved a radio battery request from Marsing Ambulance Service in the amount of \$900.00.
Approved the 2015 Industrial Appraisal from Shewey, Vander Boegh, LLC in the amount of \$5,200.00.
Approved a letter to BLM regarding the scoping comment for the Gateway West project segments 8 and 9.
October 27
Approved 4 Certificates of Residency to the College of Western Idaho for James Cameron, Cody Barrett, Montanna Waldner and Benjamin Schamber.
Approved Resolution 2014-30; To dispose of and / or donate old cell phones which are no longer of appreciable use to the county and are of nominal value.
Approved Resolution 2014-31; Ratification of correspondence delivered to the office of the Governor of Idaho regarding consistency review of the BLM Jarbidge Resource Management Plan.
Approve pay scale increase for Tony Gruenwald to a grade 8, \$14.76 per hour.
Approved Student Resource Officer new hire of Ronald Wood to the Sheriff's Office, grade 7, \$13.67 per hour.
Approved a roof bid for the Armory in the amount of \$15,979.00 from Pro Tech Roofing, Inc.
Approved a letter to the USEPA regarding an extension on the comment period for the 'Draft Total Maximum Daily Load for Mercury in the Waters of Jordan Creek'.
Placed a lien on Indigent & Charity case 14-42. Approved Indigent & Charity case 14-02. Approved Indigent & Charity case 14-42. Withdrew Indigent & Charity cases 14-16 and 14-25. Tax deed sales:
Property 1 – Lot 1 and 2, Block 6 & adjacent 1/2 vacated alley, Homedale Property 2 – Tax 9, Section 27, T2S, R2W, Murphy Property 3 – Lots 3 - 7, Block 10 Murphy Hot Springs Sub. 1 Property 4 – Lot 3, Block 38, Homedale
Property 5 – Lot 13, Section 6, T5S, R3E, Grand View The complete minutes can be viewed online at www.owyheecounty.net or in the Clerk's office.
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SYNOPSIS OF OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONER MINUTES September 2, 8, 15, 22 2014

September 2
Approved a 1 week extension for the budget certifications for the Bruneau / Grand View Schools and the Eastern Owyhee Library.
Approved the scheduling of a tax deed sale for October 20, 2014 at 10:00 am. Approved the 2014-2014 ICRMP Insurance Policy in the amount of \$106,335.00.
Approved 5 certificated of residency to the College of Western Idaho for Camille Carver, Jacob Graves, Les Loucks, Erica Mendez and Amber Purvis.
Approved increasing the Economic Development credit card limit to \$1,000.00. Denied Indigent & Charity case 14-28. Denied Indigent & Charity case 14-29. Denied Indigent & Charity case 14-31.
Canvassed the ballots from the August 26, 2014 election.
September 8
Approved and paid the bills from the following funds:
Current Expense \$71,006 District Court \$40,418 District Court \$3,602 Fair, Grnds/Bldgs \$9,719 Probation \$2,609 Hist. Society \$181 Indigent & Charity \$15,376 Revaluation \$2,807 Solid Waste \$14,787 Weeds \$1,327 911 \$31 County Vessel \$169 Waterways \$132 OHV \$46 Econ. Develop. \$1,630
Approved the second amendment to the agreement for enhanced law enforcement services between Idaho Power and Owyhee County.
Waived the planning and zoning fee and building permit fee for construction of a fishing pier in Grand View.
Approved a city of Homedale Impact Area letter.
Approved the FY2015 Computer Arts agreement.
Approved a letter to the city of Homedale regarding prosecution services.
Placed liens on Indigent & Charity cases 14-35, 14-36 and 14-37.
Approved Indigent & Charity case 14-20.
Approved a MOA with Idaho Department of Juvenile Corrections.
Approved a project coordination agreement for FY2015 Third District Juvenile Substance Use Disorder System Committee.
Held a hearing for Indigent & Charity case 14-20 and affirmed the decision of July 7, 2014. Approved the 2015 Natural Resources Committee Director contract. Approved a bid from Intermountain Communications for remote speaker mic's. Approved a bid from Sportsman's Warehouse for 12 GPS units and mounts. Approved a letter to Idaho Fish and Game regarding Annie Basin juniper removal project. Approved a letter to BLM regarding the Jarbidge RMP.
September 15
Approved the 2014-2015 County Extension budget. Approved a \$250.00 donation for the Owyhee Research and Restoration Roundup.
Approved a progress payment for the Idaho Department of Commerce Idaho Gem Grant for the Bruneau QRU in the amount of \$29,492.00.
Approved a Memorandum of Understanding between Owyhee County and the Historical Society.
Approved the 2014-2015 pathology agreement between Owyhee and Ada counties.
Approved setting the public hearing for the RS2477 roads for October 10, 2014 at 6:00 pm.
Approved naming a road that is

BEFORE THE OWYHEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

A public meeting will be held on November 10th, 2014 at 6:00 pm in the annex building of the Owyhee County Courthouse located in Murphy Idaho. The purpose of this meeting will be to hear public comments on the proposed color-coded RS2477 Right of Way maps within the following Townships and Ranges:

S ¼ of 13S 02W; 14S 02W; 15S 02W; 16S 02W; S ½ of 12S 01W; 13S 01W; 14S 01W; 15S 01W; 16S 01W; 11S 01E; 12S 01E; 13S 01E; 14S 01E; W ¼ of 16S 01E; S ½ of 09S 02E; 10S 02E; 11S 02E; 12S 02E; 13S 02E; 14S 02E; 08S 03E; 09S 03E; 10S 03E; 11S 03E; 12S 03E; 13S 03E; 14S 03E; S ½ of 06S 04E; 07S 04E; 08S 04E; 09S 04E; 10S 04E; 11S 04E; 12S 04E; 13S 04E; 14S 04E; E ½ of 15S 04E; E ½ of 16S 04E; SW ¼ of 06S 05E; W ½ of 07S 05E; 08S 05E; 09S 05E; 10S 05E; 11S 05E; 12S 05E; 13S 05E; 14S 05E; 15S 05E; 16S 05E; 08S 06E; 09S 06E; 10S 06E; 11S 06E; 12S 06E; 13S 06E; 14S 06E; 15S 06E; 16S 06E; W ½ of 08S 07E; 09S 07E; 10S 07E; W ½ and NE ¼ of 11S 07E; W ½ of 12S 07E; W ½ of 13S 07E; W ½ of 14S 07E; W ½ of 15S 07E; W ½ of 16S 07E; SW ¼ of 09S 08E; W ½ of 10S 08E; and NW ¼ of 11S 08E.

The color-coding categorizes the right of ways lying on Federal Lands in accordance with Owyhee County Resolution 2011-21, which established the final groups and criteria for such groups. No groups and related criteria intend to cover the various rights of way located on private lands. The proposed maps are available for viewing in the Planning and Zoning office located in the annex building of the Owyhee county courthouse at 17069 Basey St. in Murphy during regular business hours Monday through Friday, 8:30 am - 12:00 pm, and 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm. In addition to the public meeting, there is a thirty (30) day period open for written comments on the proposed maps. The comment period will close on Monday, December 10, 2014 at 5:00 pm. Written comments can be mailed or hand delivered to the Owyhee County Commissioners. The mailing address for comments is PO Box 128 Murphy, Id. 83650, or you can hand deliver them to the Owyhee County Clerk's office Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:30 am and 12:00 pm, or between 1:00 pm and 5:00 pm.

Rescinding tax deeds.
Placed a lien on Indigent & Charity case 14-38. Approved Indigent & Charity case 14-38. Approved the 2014 Emergency Management Performance Grant in the amount of \$13,854.74 Approved the 2014 Homeland Security Grant Program in the amount of \$27,872.21.
The complete minutes can be viewed online at www.owyheecounty.net or in the Clerk's office.
11/5/14

CITY OF MARSING 2nd NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
In accordance with Idaho Code, Title 67, Chapter 65, the City Council of Marsing, Owyhee County, Idaho, will hear comments from the public regarding the special use permit to open the Lizard Butte Learning Center, a daycare center at the home of Rebecca Frazier Francke, 139 Canal St., Marsing, Idaho, at the regular scheduled City Council Meeting.
Public Comment: The public hearing will be held at 7:00 P.M. on November 12, 2014 at Marsing City Hall at 425 Main St., Marsing, ID., a facility that is accessible to persons with disabilities. Comments regarding this special use permit will be taken at the public hearing or may be submitted in writing for consideration. Written comments must be postmarked to Marsing City Hall, P.O. Box 125, Marsing, ID, 83639, or delivered to Marsing City Hall. Written comments will be received until 5:00 P.M. on November 12, 2014.
Dated this 16th day of October, 2014
10/22&11/5/14

maintained by Northwest Pipeline, Juniper Basin Drive.
Approved a Certificate of Residency for CWI for Emmanuel Lagunas.
Approved a ditch easement for re-alignment between Owyhee County and the Joyce Ranch.
September 22
Approved Resolution 2014-28; Approving stipulation for dismissal in Owyhee County v. Lavonne M. Hueck, case CR 2014-989.
Approved paying all outstanding bills from the following funds:
Current Expense \$59,420 Road & Bridge \$21,239 District Court \$15,844 Fair, Grounds, Buildings \$8,000 Probation \$311 Health District \$4,486 Historical Society & Museum \$592 Indigent & Charity \$12,046 Pest \$3,200 Revaluation \$1,664 Solid Waste \$1,027 Weeds \$100 911 \$3,436 Waterways \$1,633
Off Highway Vehicles \$101 Econ. Development \$1,155
Approved the 2014-2015 Spanish Interpretive Services Agreement with Grace Arroyo.
Approved the 2014-2015 Solid Waste Agreement with Snake River Rubbish.
Approved a utility easement between Owyhee County and the City of Grand View.
Approved a request from Marsing Ambulance for \$26,090.00 for a cot lift system.
Approved closing documents for a property located at 17082 Basey St. Murphy, Idaho parcel RPC074000501AA.
Approved a pay increase for Probation Department employee Ivy Cardenas of \$1,170.00 per year.
Approved a letter to the Protest Coordinator in Washington D.C. regarding the *Notice of Protest of the Jarbidge Proposed RMP*.
Approved Resolution 2014-29;

Public notices

SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. 406
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF HOMEDALE AMENDING CHAPTER 6.04.110 OF THE HOMEDALE MUNICIPAL CODE REGULATING THE MAINTENANCE OF FOWL WITHIN THE CITY OF HOMEDALE; REPEALING CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; APPROVING A SUMMARY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

A summary of the principal provisions of Ordinance No. 406 of the City of Homedale, Owyhee County, Idaho, adopted on October 23, 2014, is as follows:

Section 1: Repealing the preexisting 6.04.110 and enacting a new 6.04.110 entitled “Maintenance of Fowl Within City” to wit:

6.04.110 A. Prohibits the keeping of fowl except as provided herein.

6.04.110 B. Provides approval criteria including minimum lot size, requiring commercial quality chicken coop of certain size, location, and quality; setting a maximum of eight (8) chickens, prohibiting roosters, establishing registration fees, prohibiting nuisances, and establishing general requirements of safety, cleanliness, and care of the animals.

Section 2: Provides States that Ordinance No. 406 shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval, and publication as required by law. Provides that a summary of Ordinance No. 406 may be published in lieu of the entire ordinance in compliance with Section 50-901A, Idaho Code.

Adopted by the Homedale City Council, Homedale, Idaho, on this 23 day of October, 2014.

CITY OF HOMEDALE,
Owhyee County, Idaho
Gheen Christoffersen, Mayor
ATTEST: Alice E. Pegram, City Clerk/ Treasurer
11/5/14

SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. 407
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF HOMEDALE ENACTING CHAPTER 17.36.060 OF THE HOMEDALE MUNICIPAL CODE PROVIDING FOR A MINIMUM OF 1,000 SQUARE FEET FOR ALL SITE-BUILT HOMES AND MANUFACTURED HOMES AS WELL AS AN ATTACHED SINGLE-CAR GARAGE; AMENDING CHAPTER 17.28.010 OFFICIAL SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT REGULATIONS BY ADDING “LABORATORY / MEDICAL / DENTAL / OPTICAL AND PAWN SHOPS AS PERMITTED LAND USES WITHIN A COMMERCIAL DISTRICT; AMENDING CHAPTER 17.60.070(C) ALLOWING FOR TWO ON-PREMISES SIGNS; REPEALING CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; APPROVING A SUMMARY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

A summary of the principal provisions of Ordinance No. 407 of the City of Homedale, Owyhee County, Idaho, adopted on October 23, 2014, is as follows:

Section 1: Enacts 17.36.060 providing that manufactured and site-built homes shall have be a minimum of 1000 square feet and must include an attached single-car garage.

SUMMARY STATEMENT		
REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES		
7/2013 TO 6/2014		
ALL FUNDS		
SCHOOL DISTRICT #365		
BRUNEAU GRAND VIEW JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT		
NAME		
	BUDGET	ACTUAL
Revenues		
Local Revenue	\$ 1,159,867.0	\$ 1,134,443.0
State Revenue	2,664,610	2,697,892
Federal Revenue	620,645	578,233
Other Revenue	6,773	
Total Revenues	\$ 4,451,895	\$ 4,410,568
Expenditures		
Salaries	\$ 1,977,012	\$ 1,846,933
Benefits	620,904	575,353
Purchased Services	1,199,188	1,090,764
Supplies & Materials	294,569	295,431
Capital Objects	157,054	64,334
Contingency Reserve	192,675	-
Debt Retirement	360,472	357,572
Transfers	6,773	-
Insurance & Judgments	43,718	35,340
Total Expenditures	\$ 4,852,365	\$ 4,265,727
Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 732,413	\$ 1,140,272
Adjustments	-	-
Net Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 732,413	\$ 1,140,272
Ending Fund Balance	\$ 331,943	\$ 1,285,113
The undersigned certify that this is a true and correct report of the financial condition of the Bruneau Grand View Joint School District 365.		
Lori Bennett		
Chairperson of the Board		
Jodi Jewett		
Clerk of the Board		
JayDene Aquiso		
Assistant Business Manager		

Section 2: Amends the table of uses in 17.28.010 adding Laboratory/ Medical/ Dental/ Optical and Pawn Shops as permitted use in a commercial zone.

Section 3: Amends 17.60.060 (C) allowing two flat or wall on-premises signs in a commercial or manufacturing district.

Section 4: Provides States that Ordinance No. 407 shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval, and publication as required by law. Provides that a summary of Ordinance No. 407 may be published in lieu of the entire ordinance in compliance with Section 50-901A, Idaho Code.

Adopted by the Homedale City Council, Homedale, Idaho, on this 23 day of October, 2014.

CITY OF HOMEDALE,
Owyhee County, Idaho
Gheen Christoffersen, Mayor
ATTEST: Alice E. Pegram, City Clerk/ Treasurer
11/5/14

SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. 408
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF HOMEDALE AMENDING CHAPTER 5.40.010 AND 5.40.020 OF THE HOMEDALE MUNICIPAL CODE REGULATING SOLICITATION IN THE CITY OF HOMEDALE; ESTABLISHING A PENALTY; REPEALING CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; APPROVING A SUMMARY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

A summary of the principal provisions of Ordinance No. 408 of the City of Homedale, Owyhee County, Idaho, adopted on October 23, 2014, is as follows:

Section 1. Repeals 5.04.010

Section 2. Repeals 5.04.020

Section 3. Enacts a new 5.40.010 to wit:

5.04.010 A. Establishes the purpose is to regulate and license door to door solicitation.

5.04.010 B. Provides definitions

5.04.010 C. Establishes a requirement to obtain a license.

5.04.010 D. Enumerates exemptions for certain classes / activities to requiring a license.

5.04.010 E. Establishing Application requirements.

5.04.010 F. Established background checks and investigatory conditions and prerequisites.

5.04.010 G. Establishes license fees.

5.04.010 H. Establishes a bond requirement.

5.04.010 I. Provides a process for license review and issuance.

5.04.010 J. Provides grounds for denial of a license application.

5.04.010 K. Establishes identification badge requirements

5.04.010 L. Prohibits license transfer

5.04.010 M. Prohibits solicitation where the owner has posted the appropriate signage.

5.04.010 N. Enumerates unlawful conduct

5.04.010 O. Establishes a buyer right of rescission.

5.04.010 P. Provides grounds for suspension or revocation of a license

5.04.010 Q. Establishes a license suspension process

5.04.010 R. Establishes a license revocation process

5.04.010 S. Establishes a hearing process

5.04.010 T. Establishes a term of expiration for licenses

5.04.010 U. Provides a penalty

ANNUAL ROAD AND STREET FINANCIAL REPORT	
CITY OF HOMEDALE	
For the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014	
BEGINNING BALANCE AS OF OCTOBER 1 PREVIOUS YEAR	\$545
RECEIPTS	
LOCAL FUNDING SOURCES	
Sale of assets	\$5,721
Interest income	\$92
All other LOCAL receipts or transfers in	\$10,467
Total Local Funding	\$16,280
STATE FUNDING SOURCES	
Highway user revenue	\$85,347
Total State Funding	\$85,347
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$101,627
DISBURSEMENTS	
ROUTINE MAINTENANCE	
Chip sealing or seal coating	\$17,295
Patching	\$1,831
Snow removal	\$262
Other	\$37,864
Total Routine Maintenance	\$57,252
EQUIPMENT	
New equipment purchase	\$11,400
Equipment maintenance	\$4,471
Total Equipment	\$15,871
ADMINISTRATIVE	\$3,552
OTHER	
Street lighting	\$25,162
Professional services - audit, clerical, legal	\$0
Professional services - engineering	\$0
All other local expenditures	\$0
Total Other	\$25,162
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$101,837
RECEIPTS OVER DISBURSEMENTS	-\$210
CLOSING BALANCE	\$335
Funds retained for general funds and operations	\$0
ENDING BALANCE	\$335

City of Homedale, Alice E. Pegram, Clerk/Treasurer 10/29/2014 11/5/14

CITY OF GRAND VIEW, IDAHO					
Quarterly Expenditure & Revenue Report					
For 3 Month Period - Quarter Ending 9/30/2014					
As required by Idaho Code 50-1011					
4TH Quarter FY 2014	2014 Budget	Actual Expense	% of Budget Expenses	Actual Revenue	% of Budget Revenue
GENERAL CITY	\$75,004.22	\$10,471.87	14%	\$11,035.68	15%
ROADS	\$128,340.67	\$113,230.91	88%	\$9,140.37	7%
PARK	\$51,750.00	\$1,052.25	2%	\$0	0%
TOTAL	\$255,094.89	\$124,755.03	49%	\$20,176.05	8%
The General Public is invited to inspect all support documents for the above financial statement at City Hall, 425 Boise Ave, Grand View, Idaho, during regular business hours.					
Tammy M. Payne City Clerk 10/29/2014					

clause

5.04.010 V. Provides a severability clause

Section 4: Provides that Ordinance No. 408 shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval, and publication as required by law. Provides that a summary of Ordinance No. 408 may be published in lieu of the entire

ordinance in compliance with Section 50-901A, Idaho Code.

Adopted by the Homedale City Council, Homedale, Idaho, on this 23 day of October, 2014.

CITY OF HOMEDALE,
Owyhee County, Idaho
Gheen Christoffersen, Mayor
ATTEST: Alice E. Pegram, City Clerk/ Treasurer
11/5/14

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today’s date: October 9, 2014 File No.: 7303.25825 Sale date and time (local time): February 9, 2015 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho 83650 Property address: 204 Motzko St Marsing, ID 83639 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Louis A Clausen and Sue A Clausen, husband and wife Original trustee: Alliance Title Original beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. solely as nominee for Academy Mortgage Corporation Recording date: 01/16/2007 Recorder’s instrument number: 259486 County: Owyhee Sum owing on the obligation: as of October 9, 2014: \$81,286.19 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property’s legal description is: Lot 1 in Block 6 of Volkmer-Motzko’s First Addition to the City of Marsing, Owyhee County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof, filed November 19, 1945, as Instrument No. 70765 in the Office of the Recorder for Owyhee County, Idaho. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7303.25825) 1002.273742-File No. 10/29;11/5,12,19/14

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

T.S. No. 009433-ID / APN: RPB05410030020A NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE On 2/6/2015 at 11:00AM (recognized local time), AT THE OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE LOBBY, 20381 HIGHWAY 78, MURPHY, ID 83650, in the County of Owyhee, ELISA MAGNUSON, ESQ., a member of the State Bar of Idaho, of PITE DUNCAN, LLP, as trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit: LOT 2, BLOCK 3 MORNING DOVE ESTATES SUBDIVISION NO. 2, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED NOVEMBER 13, 2006 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 258785, OF OFFICIAL RECORDS OF OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above

referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Idaho Code Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the address of: 524 MORNING DOVE WAY, MARSING, ID 83639, is commonly associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by DOMINGO MENRICO JR AND MELISSA ENRICO, HUSBAND AND WIFE as Grantor(s), to BRAD L. WILLIAMS, C/O UPF INC., A WASHINGTON CORP. as Trustee, for the benefit and security of HOME FEDERAL BANK as Beneficiary, dated 2/15/2007, recorded 2/20/2007, as Instrument No. 259875, official records of Owyhee County, Idaho. Please note: The above named Grantors are named to comply with Idaho Code Section 45-1506(4)(a); no representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for the obligation. The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to make monthly payments when due from 5/1/2013 and all subsequent monthly payments thereafter, including installments of principal, interest, impounds, advances, plus any charges lawfully due under the note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust, Deed of Trust and as allowed under Idaho Law. The sum owing on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust as of 9/26/2014 is \$158,383.04, including interest, costs, fees, including trustee and/or attorney fees and costs, and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligation thereunder or in this sale and to protect the security associated with the Deed of Trust, as authorized in the Note, Deed of Trust or as allowed under Idaho Law. Because interest, late charges, fees, costs and expenses continue to accrue, the total amount due varies from day to day. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after receipt of funds to satisfy the debt. For further information, write the Trustee at 4375 Jutland Drive, Ste. 200, San Diego, CA 92117, or call (858)750-7600. DATED: 9/26/14 10/15,22,29;11/5/14

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE IDAHO

Code 45-1506 Today’s date: October 20, 2014 File No.: 7777.00480 Sale date and time (local time): February 19, 2015 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho 83650 Property address: 405 Live Oak Avenue Marsing, ID 83639 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Taffeta Enrico, a married woman, as her sole and separate property Original trustee: Susan J. Robinson, Idaho Attorney Original beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. solely as nominee for WMC Mortgage Corp. Recording date: 03/01/2006 Recorder’s instrument number: 255388 County: Owyhee Sum owing on the obligation: as of October 20, 2014: \$54,773.48 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary

from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property’s legal description is: Lot 5 of Block 3 of Hidden Hollow Subdivision, in the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, Section 34, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Recorder for Owyhee County, Idaho. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7777.00480) 1002.274243-File No. 11/5,12,19,26/14

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On February 5, 2015 at the hour of 11:00AM, of said day, in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse located at 20381 Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650, Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashiers check, certified check or tellers check, (from a bank which has a branch in the community at the site of the sale), money order, State of Idaho check or local government check, or cash equivalent in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the same time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of Block 57 of the Amended Plat of the City of Homedale, Owyhee County, Idaho. THE TRUSTEE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY, BUT FOR PURPOSES OF COMPLIANCE WITH IDAHO CODE, SECTION 60-113, THE TRUSTEE HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THE STREET ADDRESS OF: 1 West California Avenue, Homedale, ID 83628, MAY SOMETIMES BE ASSOCIATED WITH SAID REAL PROPERTY. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by Justin W. Kelleher, a married man as his sole and separate estate, as Grantor to Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of HomeStreet Bank as Successor Beneficiary, recorded December 31, 2013 as Instrument No. 282952, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION

IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which this sale is to be made is failure to: Make principal and interest payments as set forth on said Deed of Trust and Promissory Note. The original loan amount was \$162,011.00 together with interest thereon at the rate of 4.2500% per annum, as evidenced in Promissory Note dated December 30, 2013. Principal and interest payments are in default for the months of April 2014 through and including September 2014 in the amount of \$797.00 per month and continuing each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance as of September 30, 2014 is \$161,563.79 together with accrued and accruing interest thereon at the rate of 4.2500% per annum. The per diem is \$18.82. In addition to the above, there is also due any late charges, advances, escrow collection fees, attorney fees, fees or costs associated with this foreclosure. The balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$161,563.79, excluding interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder or in this sale, as trustee’s fees and/or reasonable attorney’s fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Dated: October 3, 2014 Alliance Title & Escrow Corp. By: Bobbi Oldfield, Trust Officer, Phone: 877-947-1553, File No.: 246861 / 60063-00297-NJ-ID This communication is on behalf of a debt collector and is an attempt to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. 10/15,22,29;11/5/14

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On Thursday, the 12th day of February, 2015, at the hour of 10:00 o’clock a.m. of said day in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, Ryan M. Fawcett, as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit: LOT 6 IN BLOCK 1 OF WHITE HORSE ESTATES SUBDIVISION, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT

THEREOF, RECORDED SEPTEMBER 13, 2005 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 253380, OFFICIAL RECORDS OF OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO. The Successor Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113, Idaho Code, the Successor Trustee has been informed that the street address of 15729 Palomino Ln., Murphy, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by L. JEAN SHURTLEFF and JANIE SHURTLEFF, Husband and Wife, Grantor, to Ryan M. Fawcett, Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of ACADEMY MORTGAGE CORPORATION, A UTAH CORPORATION, recorded October 14, 2008, as Instrument No. 266498, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho; and assigned to the IDAHO HOUSING AND FINANCE ASSOCIATION by Assignment of Deed of Trust recorded on October 15, 2008, as Instrument No. 266506, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTOR IS NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which this sale is to be made is (1) the failure to pay when due, monthly installment payments under the Deed of Trust Note dated October 9, 2008, in the amount of \$1,132.00 each, for the months of May through September, 2014, inclusive; and for each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reimbursement; and (2) the failure to occupy the premises as required by the Addendum to the Deed of Trust. All delinquent payments are now due, plus accumulated late charges, plus any costs or expenses associated with this foreclosure. The accrued interest is at the rate of 6.08% per annum from April 1, 2014. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$141,469.77, plus accrued interest at the rate of 6.08% per annum from April 1, 2014. DATED This 14th day of October, 2014 RYAN M. FAWCETT, a Member of the Idaho State Bar, SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE 10/29;11/5,12,19/14



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THANK YOU

Words cannot begin to express our gratitude for all the many acts of kindness shown us during Fred's short illness and since his passing. The many phone calls, food, donations, flowers and cards are all so beautiful and very appreciated! Special thank you to Fr. Flores for the beautiful service, Fran Woodhead for the beautiful music, our granddaughter April Demshar's beautiful instrumentals, our grandson Joe, our nieces and nephews that participated in the service. To Flahiff Funeral Chapel for their kindness. To West Valley Medical Center for their wonderful care from the moment we came into the ER until Fred checked out of the hospital. To all of the Doctor's involved for their kindness and honesty not just to Fred but to the family. To Txoko Ona Basque Center and all the people that worked so hard, and the donation of the hall for a beautiful dinner. Our heart felt thanks to Heart and Home Hospice and especially to Shey and Laurie for their wonderful care for Fred and emotional care for the family! You will never be forgotten. May God bless each and every one of you! Very Sincerely, The Family of Fred Demshar



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Sports

Serves sink Antelopes' state volleyball hopes

Adrian High School's volleyball season came to an end Saturday with an upset loss in the second round of the 1A Oregon state playoffs.

Visiting Hosanna Christian, the ninth-seeded school in the playoffs, won a tooth-and-nail battle, 25-23, 26-24, 27-25, to end the No. 8 Antelopes' state title hopes.

Adrian saw a three-match winning streak end, too.

"I am proud of our season and the girls' hard work," Adrian coach Aimee Esplin said. "It just didn't come together for us to make the final eight."

Sophomore Carlee Morton served eight aces for Adrian (11-9 overall), but Esplin said the Antelopes' overall play from the back line was a factor in the loss.

"We missed 15 serves and you just can't have those kind of errors against a good team and then lose in three very close games,"

Esplin said.

A setter, Morton also had seven assists and a kill.

Senior middle blocker Quincy Pendergrass collected 17 kills and served two aces for Adrian.

Senior outside hitter Kellie Barraza served five aces and put down three kills, while sophomore middle blocker Anna Hutchings had five kills and two aces. Sophomore setter Lauren Barraza logged five assists and three aces.

The Lions from Klamath Falls (20-3) open the 1A Oregon state tournament in Redmond, Ore., on Friday morning against top-seeded Country Christian.

The Antelopes reached the state playoffs after winning the 1A District 8 tournament championship on Oct. 25. Pendergrass (first team) and Hutchings and Kellie Barraza (second team) were named district all-tournament players.



Huskies place 3 on All-WIC volleyball

Two all-conference volleyball players will represent Marsing High School in a senior all-star game Monday.

Outside hitter Ellie Folwell, a first-team All-2A Western Idaho Conference selection, will join fellow upperclassman Tristan Jarvis on the Class 2A all-stars that will face their Class 3A counterparts in the District III Senior All-Star Game at 6:30 p.m. Monday at Payette High School.

A libero, Jarvis landed on the All-2A WIC honorable mention list alongside Marsing teammate Avery Villa, a sophomore who played outside hitter this season for coach Loma Bittick.

Folwell had 81 kills and 96 digs while compiling a 90 percent service percentage in 167 attempts.

Jarvis was an 89 percent server in 162 attempts. She dug 218 balls and put down 40 kills.

Villa served 38 aces as part of her 82 percent service performance (190 attempts). She also had 38 kills and 77 digs.

Left: Outside hitter Ellie Folwell delivers a serve against Melba in the 2A District III Tournament. Folwell and Tristan Jarvis will play in the district senior all-star game Monday. Photo by Dan Pease

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MARSING HUSKIES



Athlete of the Week

Juan Sierra, fr., cross country

The Huskies' lone 1A/2A cross country state championships qualifier closed out the Marsing fall sports season Saturday with an 86th-place finish at Eagle Island State Park. He completed the course in 19 minutes, 19.7 seconds, the second-fastest time of his prep career.

Football
East-West Shrine All-Star
Noah Grossman

Volleyball
Monday, Nov.10 — 2A/3A District III Senior All-Star Game at Payette H.S., 6:30 p.m.

MHS All-Stars — Ellie Folwell and Tristan Jarvis
Congratulations All-2A WIC players
First team — Folwell
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